

BEFORE THE BATTLE

How the Senatorial Situation Appears Today.

PRITCHARD MEN STAND FIRM

THOMPSON HAS NO CHANCE OF BEING ELECTED.

Democrats Don't Know Where They Are At—Will Caucus Tomorrow Night to Get Their Bearings—Col. Skinner States His Views to the Tribune.

If anyone supposed that the supporters of Senator Pritchard were disconcerted by the nomination of Dr. Cyrus Thompson for Senator by the Populist majority caucus Friday night, or by any events subsequent thereto, he was deficient in information on the subject. At no time since the Pritchard Populists walked out of the party caucus have the friends of the Senator been more confident than they were yesterday. There was every thing to encourage them to stand firm. There was not a break in their lines. There was not a sign of weakness anywhere. They were ready for the final contest next Tuesday and confident that the first ballot would result in the triumphant re-election of Jeter C. Pritchard to succeed himself in the United States Senate.

Instead of the co-operation wing of the Populists being scattered and dismayed by Mr. Butler's latest stroke, they were solidified for the support of Pritchard instead of nineteen supporters of Pritchard in their column, there were not less than twenty who were determined to stand by him until the counting of the votes settled the question in his favor once for all.

SENATOR ODOM FOR PRITCHARD.

Yesterday a bomb shell was exploded in the Butler camp when it became known that State Senator Odom had written a letter in which he declared his purpose to vote for Pritchard. Here is the letter:

Hon. HARRY SKINNER, Raleigh, N. C.
MY DEAR SIR:—It affords me great pleasure to say to you that I admire the course that you have pursued in the Senatorial contest. I have decided to cast my vote for Senator Pritchard for re-election, believing that honesty and fair dealing on the part of the Populist party requires me and all other Populist members and Senators to observe the agreement entered into two years ago with our Republican friends that we should vote for the caucus nominee of the Republican party.

Very respectfully,
W. H. ODOM.

The Butler Populists tried to make a point on the fact that Representative Harris of Hyde county, who was one of the nineteen, had gone into their caucus Friday night; but the hollowness of the claim was exposed when it became known that he went into the meeting to enter a vigorous and characteristic protest against the action which had been foreshadowed as it actually took place in the caucus. A prominent leader in the co-operation movement said, "Harris is as solid for Pritchard as a rock wall." State Senator McCaskey too was said to have been won over by the nomination of Dr. Thompson; but this was contradicted in the most positive terms.

INTERVIEW WITH HARRY SKINNER.

Last night's representative of THE TRIBUNE called upon Col. Harry Skinner at his room at the Park Hotel to get his views on the Senatorial situation, and his opinion of the manifesto issued by the Butler caucus Friday night. The following colloquy took place:

"Has the nomination of Dr. Thompson by the Populist caucus last night affected the Senatorial situation?"

"It has not. It has, however, disclosed Mr. Butler's hand; that is, to try to destroy another prominent Populist and to use him as a tool to bring about what he (Butler) wants—a deadlock. This, however, will absolutely solidify the Republicans. They have had enough of Butler's tyranny in North Carolina and they are not disposed to give him any such power in the nation as he would have, holding the balance of power in the Senate, which he would use on all matters of confirmation affecting North Carolina Federal appointments."

"His effort, however, is still-born, for it makes, as I have stated, the Republicans solid, the co-operation Populists solid, and it puts the Democrats in the position that they cannot afford to endorse such politics as Mr. Butler has played and go to the country without demoralizing the Democratic forces. There is enough intelligence in the Democratic party to see and to fear for themselves such a regime."

"I understand that the majority of the Populist faction claims that there have been desertions from the minority, and that Pritchard's strength has been materially weakened thereby. Is this true?"

"This is not true. On the contrary that faction has been decreased at least four, not mentioning Mr. Odom, who makes a written declaration of his intention to support Senator Pritchard. I am entirely satisfied with the position of Mr. McCaskey. There is not a man in Raleigh who is doing more earnest and effective work for Senator Pritchard than Mr. McCaskey. You can state upon my authority that my allegiance to Mr. Pritchard may as well be questioned as that of Mr. Harris. His utterance upon the caucus was simply to make another exhibition of his independent spirit, and to meet the majority and tell them, as he did tell them, how they might expect him to act."

"As to the four men who it has been said would go over to the majority faction, I simply challenge the author of the statement to name them. We have still two more with whom we will surprise the majority when the roll is called. I state from positive knowledge that not less than twenty Populists will vote for Pritchard on the first ballot; and as to that, I have no idea that there will be more than one ballot. It is my calm and considerate judgment, from the facts before me tonight, that Pritchard will be elected next Thursday."

"What do you think of the manifesto issued by the majority faction last night?"

"I simply regard it as one of Mr. Butler's efforts to control, in which the minority, after they left the caucus, feel no concern."

"How do you regard that part of the manifesto in which it is claimed that three of the minority have returned to the majority caucus?"

"As I have heretofore said, only one of the three was in the caucus only for the purpose of showing his independence and his contempt for gag rule; and as they only claim two more out of the entire number who are understood to have been for Pritchard, and as no dissatisfaction among Republicans has materialized, it is, in my opinion, an open acknowledgment of defeat, and the majority ought to have the manhood to acknowledge to the world that the minority are right and maintain co-operation in perfect harmony by unanimously supporting Senator Pritchard. They say in their manifesto: 'The majority have exhausted all resources to bring about harmony and amicable adjustment of the differences that exist, but their efforts have been in vain.' This is a further acknowledgment of defeat. Men only act independently when their consciences direct their actions in standing firm. Since I have admitted this, it is their duty, in order to preserve the harmony and carry out the purposes of the co-operation movement, to come to us like the Populists of the country are demanding that the Democrats and silver Republicans shall join with them in making common cause to bring relief to the country, when we think that we are using better judgment in attaining this desirable general result."

"Have you any reason to assign why a Populist is justified in declining to support Dr. Thompson?"

"Dr. Thompson, in a meeting held at the Park Hotel at the time the two committees held a conference last spring, took a strong stand in favor of co-operation with the Republicans, putting it on the ground that true co-operation meant honesty and fair dealing between the two parties, and that if the Populists decided otherwise and contend for principle alone, each member of Congress, including Senator Butler, should at once resign his seat in favor of the Republicans, and the Republicans should have the offices and the Populists should take the patriotism and principles as their share of the spoils."

"After Dr. Thompson, through the primaries fought for co-operation and was the steady ally of other co-operation Populists, then in the caucuses that were held at the State Convention at that time, it was understood that Dr. Thompson was to be the co-operation candidate for Congress in his district. The day before the Populist State Convention the Democrats held their convention in the Third Congressional District and nominated his brother, Frank Thompson, for Congress. To relieve Dr. Thompson of this situation the co-operationists in the State Convention put up Dr. Thompson as their candidate for Governor, and that time he was fought by Mr. Butler and his allies with Wm. A. Guthrie. Failing to get the nomination for Governor, he was then nominated for Secretary of State, in order to secure success at the ballot box. Dr. Thompson continued to work for co-operation during the

entire campaign. After the election he allied himself with the people who thought that co-operation should be continued in good faith, and was known to be supporting Senator Pritchard. He came to their caucuses and advised the election of Senator Pritchard as the right and faithful thing to do.

"His candidacy does not shake us in our determined effort to perpetuate the policies that Dr. Thompson has heretofore advocated, and we do not believe Dr. Thompson himself, considering all the circumstances and surroundings, expects us to follow him in breaking faith with our people and our faithful allies. There is another element of strength in the candidacy of Senator Pritchard which we should and do respect, and that is the unwritten law of the State that this Senatorship belongs to Western North Carolina, and we propose to stand by the rights of the Western people."

A HORRIBLE DEATH

H. A. BEAVER KILLED AT SALISBURY YESTERDAY.

Fell From the Top of a Freight Car and Was Crushed Under the Wheels.

SPECIAL TO THE TRIBUNE.

GREENSBORO, N. C., July 16. H. A. Beaver, a flagman on the Southern Railway, met with a horrible death here this afternoon. He fell from the top of a box car in a moving train and was caught by the wheels and dragged some distance, his head being severed from his body and his body terribly mangled. His remains were sent to his home at Salisbury tonight.

CHEAP MONEY CENTRE.

The N. Y. Bank's Surplus Has Reached \$8,181,075.

New York, Jan. 16.—The New York Financier says this week: New York is now the cheapest money centre in the world, and the statement made by the clearing house banks for the week ending January 16th, showing a further increase in the surplus reserves of the banks to the amount of \$8,181,775, is an indication that it will remain so for an indefinite period.

Up to the first of the present year, the New York banks reported a steady expansion in loans, the increase from November 7 to January 2 having been not less than \$49,000,000. Since January 2, however, the loans of the banks have increased only \$76,000, or practically nothing, while deposits in the two weeks have expanded to the total of \$26,600,000. This accumulation has been of no use to the banks and shows why the loan market has fallen off so rapidly. Since January 2 the cash holdings of the banks have risen \$25,536,000. In other words, the deposits remain inactive in the banks.

In view of these facts, the efforts being made by a number of New York banks to maintain a minimum interest rate of 2 per cent, appear to be useless, although the slight change in the loan item is evidence that they have not abandoned the agreement which it is asserted that some of them have made. The statement is interesting, especially as relating to purchases of sterling bills. The advance in sterling is now narrowing the profit to a small figure, and while the low money rates of themselves favor an advance, the heavy foreign trade balances reported for the month and the year do not encourage the belief that exchange will rise to a gold-exporting point. The investments made in foreign bills, the carrying of which is really lending money to Europe, stand to lose, therefore, quite as much as to gain.

In the meantime, what to do with the surplus cash of the New York banks is a serious problem. Surface indications now favor an advance in stock prices; and as low money will stimulate buying and industry in general, it is not unreasonable to say that the heavy surplus will be absorbed to a large extent in domestic expansion. If this proves true, the United States will enter upon an era of prosperity during the coming spring, which has not been equalled since the early nineties.

THE STATEMENT, in its other items, shows only changes which are incident to the conditions already mentioned. The loan expansion was \$283,000; the cash increase, \$10,518,100, and deposits increase, \$9,348,100. The banks are wiping out extra circulation as fast as possible, and the reduction was \$163,900 for the week or a reduction of over two millions since November.

MRS. ISHAM G. HARRIS ILL.

The Senator in Failing Health—Gone to Join His Sick Wife.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—Mr. Isham G. Harris, of Tennessee, the veteran Senator from that State, whose history embodied a half of the late Confederacy, has received a telegram stating that his wife is seriously ill at Paris, Tenn., and advising him to come home at once.

The Senator himself, who reluctantly owns up to 79 years of age, has been for some time in such condition of failing health as to arouse the affectionate sympathies of his friends. He has been confined to his room for over a week, but left Tennessee this afternoon, accompanied by his son, Edward Harris.

WILL THOMPSON ACCEPT

A Nomination at the Hands of the Democratic Party?

THREW UP BOTH HANDS AND SNORTED

WAS THE ANSWER OF CHAIRMAN JONES

To "The Tribune" Representative's Query—Quay Says there is not a Word of Truth in It, and Quay Thinks He Ought to Know.

SPECIAL DISPATCH TO THE TRIBUNE.

WASHINGTON, D. C., Jan. 16.

Thompson's nomination causes no surprise here. But his acceptance, in view of his well-known hostility to Butler, his open denunciation of his methods and his repeated declaration of fealty to Pritchard, causes some comment. The nomination was made, it is said, with the assurance that the Democrats would not support it. Will Thompson, it is asked, accept an election at the hands of the Democratic party, in view of the Democratic election frauds that defeated him in his Congressional contest two years ago, and of his bitter denunciation of the party in the late Presidential campaign? It is not certain what the Democrats will do. Further that to assert with some positiveness than the National Committee would not interfere, Senator Jones declined today to discuss the matter. Thompson's partisan record is known to Democrats here, but that will not stand in the way of his election by Democratic votes if it is good politics to elect him. Usually Senator Jones is courteous and even affable, but today there was no suggestion of amiability in his brief conversation with THE TRIBUNE representative. Evidently the subject was extremely disagreeable, and the climax was reached when the question was put to him if Senator Butler had sent a special envoy to him with an earnest appeal for Democratic harmony. He simply threw up both hands and snorted. That ended the interview. Information from other official Democratic sources throw no light on the situation. One or two prominent Democrats did suggest that it would be well enough to look after Republican sentiment in this matter. It is possible, they said, that Thompson expects to be elected by Republican votes after all. For two or three days there has been some quiet talk of Republican defection, but no prominent Republican here knows nothing of its existence.

Chairman Blalock said today that it was unknown to him, and such a condition under existing circumstances, he thought, was impossible. Senator Quay, who is supposed to know everything, and is understood to be at the head of the combination to wreck McKinley's administration, was questioned just on the eve of his return from Canton, about the alleged Republican defection at Raleigh saying "there ain't a d—d word of truth in it, so far as I know, and if it was true, probably I would know something about it."

The statement is sent out from here tonight that the Republicans will co-operate with the Democrats sooner than submit the election of a Butler Populist. It is mere conjecture; diligent inquiry fails to discover any authority for the report. Yet there are Democrats and Republicans here who do not hesitate to say that this solution would be distinctly preferable to the election of a Populist.

J. B. H.

FIVE ORPHAN BOYS

Perish in the Flames of the Burning Orphan's Home.

Dallas, Texas, January 16.—Buckner's Orphan's Home, located in the suburbs of this city, was destroyed by fire shortly after midnight. Five boys perished in the flames and several were seriously burned. The dead are: Carlos Jones, Birdie Britton, Milton Britton, Martin Britton, and an unknown child.

Mrs. Britton, the mother, had been in bed a short time when she smelled smoke and immediately raised the alarm, and runners were sent to all the rooms to alarm the children and get them out of the building. After seeing a large percentage of the children had been removed from the building, and that others would be out in a few moments, she suddenly remembered her own children, and running to her room, endeavored to rescue them.

She was too late, however. The fire had already entered her room and although she fought the flames with desperate zeal, she was compelled to retreat with the frightened cries of her children ringing in her ears.

International Conference.

Rome, Jan. 16.—It is officially announced that the governments of England, France, Germany, Austria, Russia and Turkey have agreed to hold an international conference, to sit in this city, for the purpose of considering precautionary measures against the spread into Europe of the Bubonic plague which is raging in India.

Bishop Keane and the Pope.

Rome, Jan. 16.—Bishop Keane, formerly rector of the Catholic University of America, in Washington, recently appointed by the Pope to the office of Bishop assistant at the Pontifical throne, has also been made consul to the congregations of the propaganda and students. It is observed in the Vatican circle that Bishop Keane enjoys the special favor of the Pope.

Mark Hanna Is a Candidate, for Sure.

Cleveland, Ohio, Jan. 15.—The press this afternoon says: "M. A. Hanna is an avowed candidate for the United States Senatorship. He announced his candidacy this morning, for the first time, after a long conference with ex-Congressman H. L. Morey, of Hamilton, Ohio, who came to Cleveland in the capacity of Foraker's representative."

VICTORIES FOR SPAIN

ACCORDING TO SPANISH REPORTS

The Cuban Rebels Continue to be Slayed While the Spanish Seem to be Bullet Proof.

Havana, Jan. 16.—A summary of the military operations of the last twenty-four hours, according to official reports issued today, shows that the troops are continuing their skirmishing tactics in the provinces of Pinar del Rio, Havana, Matanzas and Santa Clara. The aggregate losses of the rebels cannot be ascertained, but they left fifty-two of their dead on the several fields of battle. The total losses of the troops were two officers and fifteen privates wounded.

Captain General Weyler has ordered the beginning of grinding in the Pinar del Rio province, and is organizing forces for the protection of the men engaged in the work, to be paid by the owners of the estates, abolishing the system of payment by the State. The gathering of the crop for grinding, according to the order, will begin within eight days. The scope of the order will, later, be extended to include the provinces of Havana and Matanzas, and in the near future the order will be put into effect in the province of Santa Clara.

TO PROTECT AMERICAN INTERESTS.

That is What Secretary Herbert Sent the Mechanics to, for Bangkok, Siam.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—The gun boat Mechas left Canton for Bangkok, Siam, this morning in obedience to cable orders from Secretary Herbert "to protect American interests." The distance is about 2,000 miles, and the Mechas should reach her destination in about a week. The State Department declines to divulge the character of information it has received from Bangkok, which caused the sudden dispatch of the gun boat to the scene, but there is no doubt the attack on United States Consul General Edward B. Bellert by Siamese soldiers is at the bottom of it.

Fillbustering Cubans.

New York, Jan. 16.—General Carlos Roloff, secretary of war of the Cuban provisional government, and Dr. Jose Luis, accused of aiding and abetting a Cuban filibustering expedition, which left this country on June 28, 1895, on the steamship Woodall, were before United States Commissioner Shields for preliminary examination today. Gen. Roloff is already under indictment on a similar charge in connection with an expedition on the steamship Lurda, but this Dr. Luis' first appearance before the United States authorities. The hour set for the hearing was 11 o'clock, but after consultation of counsel on both sides it was adjourned until next Saturday.

The Fishermen Safe.

Menominee, Mich., Jan. 16.—The fishermen believed to have been in great danger yesterday, are all safe, having landed on Green Island at the first manifestation of danger. The only one in great danger was Edward Hoffman, who was taken off by a boat three hours after his companions had landed. Gus Lund reached this shore, near Peshigo, on a cove of ice. Theodore Johnson, a millwright, who started to skate from here to Sturgeon bay yesterday morning has not been heard from so far as can be learned, on either shore or on the islands.

Will Meet in Session on Sunday.

Salem, Oregon, Jan. 16.—The House met at 10 a. m. today. The roll was called but a quorum was not present. The law says:

"The House shall adjourn from day today, consequently a motion to adjourn till 2 o'clock (Sunday) was carried, and Oregon will witness the unusual spectacle of a session on Sunday. The Senatorial situation is still unchanged."

LARCENY OF \$6,000

Backing for a Book at the Pamlico Race Track.

THEY ARE BIG-WIGS TO THE TRIAL

WAS HE A PARTNER OR WAS IT LARCENY?

One Gambler Trying to Beat the Other Gambler in the Absence of Other Victims.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 16.—The trial of Edward Gay White, charged with the larceny of \$6,000 from Horatio D. Newcomb, was begun today in the Criminal Court. White is a resident of Richmond, Va., when he is at home, and Newcomb is a New Yorker, but the alleged crime was committed in this city. The case was to have been heard by Judges Wickes and Harlan without a jury, but as Judge Harlan was sick and unable to be present, it was decided by Judge Wickes to hear the testimony of out-of-town witnesses only, and continue the case until a later day.

In his preliminary statement of the case, State's Attorney Duffy said that he expected to prove that Horatio D. Newcomb was induced by White to come to Baltimore and put up \$6,000 backing for a book at the Pamlico race track. The book lost \$283 the first day, and the next morning White, accompanied by McCormack, the ticket-writer in the book business, took the train for Richmond. He went thence to Norfolk and was arrested by Detective Gault at the Imperial Hotel in that city November 10. The money has not been recovered. White is supposed to have hidden it. Charles B. Shanon of New York, a bookmaker employed on the Newcomb, White & Company's book, testified to Newcomb's saying that he had formed a partnership with White.

Boyken Ford, who was cashier for Newcomb, White & Co., testified to Newcomb's saying that White was his partner. The defense contend that White had possession of the money as Newcomb's partner and that White cannot, therefore, be convicted of larceny or embezzlement even if he did carry it away.

Counsel for the defense stated before the trial that he wished all of the evidence in the case to go in under exception as he contended that even if it were true it would not show that White had committed any crime, certainly not the crime charged in the indictment. Congressman Ellett of Virginia, who is White's cousin, was present at the trial and in consultation with the attorneys for the defense. Other friends of White came from Virginia to attend the trial.

Quick Time From New York to Florida.

New York, Jan. 16.—On Monday next the New York and Florida limited (vestibule) over the Pennsylvania, Southern Railway and Florida Central and Peninsula lines will be inaugurated, the train being composed of a dining car, compartment car and library and observation car, all Pullman's and the most elaborately finished cars that the Pullman company has ever turned out. It will leave New York at 12:10 p. m. daily, except Sunday, and arrive in Jacksonville the next day at 3:30 p. m. and in St. Augustine at 4:40 p. m. This is the quickest time ever made between New York and Florida.

Should Mind Their Own Business.

Buffalo Express.

Two of the Presidential electors of Wisconsin refused to vote for a resolution which was passed at the meeting on Tuesday endorsing Henry C. Payne for a Cabinet position. What business has any electoral college to consider any subject but that of voting for Presidential and Vice Presidential candidates?

The Weather.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16 (8 p. m.).—For Virginia: Fair, but with increasing cloudiness; winds shifting to southerly; warmer in the interior.

North Carolina: Fair in east; local rains in west portion; east winds, shifting to south; warmer in the interior.

South Carolina: Fair, followed by local showers in northwest portion; warmer; southeast winds.

"The Road to Wealth."

London Fun.

A gentleman saw the following advertisement in a paper: "The Road to Wealth. Send twelve stamps to —." The gentleman sent twelve stamps, and in return for outlay received minute instructions how to get to the Bank of England from any part of London.

Mr. Jorkin's Luck.

Cincinnati Commercial-Tribune.

In describing a recent murder in London the London Spectator says: "The murderer was evidently in quest of his funds in the bank the day before, so that he lost nothing but his life." Some people have nothing but luck.

DR. E. A. ALDERMAN'S

Address Before the Educational Congress at Atlanta

BEFORE COTTON STATES EXPOSITION

PRESENTATION OF THE HIGHER EDUCATION

In the South—It Made a Profound Impression Upon the Country at the Time of Delivery.

The report of the United States Commissioner of Education, Volume II, has just been issued. It contains in full the address of President Alderman, of the University, before the Educational Congress at Atlanta, October 25, 1895, during the Cotton States Exposition. This paper is the best presentation of the condition of higher education in the South, past and present, and the attitude of the people towards it, that has ever been published. It made a profound impression at the time of its delivery, and Dr. Harris, who heard it, requested a copy for publication in his annual report.

Speaking of ante bellum days, Dr. Alderman says: "Isolated, individual, conservative, the South of the past held itself proudly aloof from the ferment of modern society, went its own way, and created its own dramatic order. This order was a system of contrasts, and lights and shadows. It produced neither wealth nor letters."

"The great war, in the mystery of historic forces, freed the white man, rolled away his burden, and enrolled the South in competition with the great industrial democracies of the world. Its problems, no longer direct and primitive, are their problems intensified by the painful process of social transformation. The old individualism has given place to combination and capitalism; servile labor to the labor of the free black; and with this the best products are to be raised, the best goods manufactured, the best routes to market devised. Our first work is to possess the land and subdue it. Hence, like a belated army, the South is seeking to conquer a place in material civilization; its dreamers become captains of industry, and its doctrinaires lords of trade. We shall lose an element of charm and picturesque quality, but we shall gain in wealth and productive energy, and the change is inevitable."

"Our largest work is the wise and just guidance of the impressive instinct of the democracy, restrained for generations, and now asserting itself in the upheaval of the plain people, who are everywhere coming to the front, demanding their share in government and challenging the authority of the ruling class. Our untold men are learning to govern by governing, a wise process, for that surely is better than to be governed and remain ignorant. The situation is not without great hopefulness. The rank and file of this popular uprising are the best material in the world for the making of educated citizenship."

"Perhaps in the past we set too much store by wise leaders and neglected to provide wise followers. If so, the irony of fate is sporting with us, for now, in the threatening danger of these great questions, we are practically leaderless."

"If our laws and institutions are not to become the crude experiments of the ignorant or the bold devices of the corrupt; if the South is to outgrow years of economic misconceptions; if the teachers in our schools are to be true teachers; educated men rather than party chieftains or place seekers must lead our civilization. The popular contempt for higher education and the popular pride in the self-made man is always widespread and strong in democratic communities. The feeling is a sort of retribution, upon scholarship and educated power for his cowardice and selfishness, but it is not the less defiance of common sense. The educated man may not always be in place, but he is sooner or later in power. The higher education is the dynamic element in the life of the people, community, invigorating the schools of the people bravely struggling to elevate the common standard of living, supplying the State with its teachers in the school room, the press, the pulpit, the family."

"We are not of one mind as to how the great need shall be supplied. There are those who insist that this vital thing is not the concern of the State, whose highest functions they declare are symbolized by the politician's club or the law's penalty. And then there are the prosperous communities with amassed wealth and settled material skill, who say to us that we must wait upon the impulses of philanthropy or the activities of the church for our educational foundations. But the nature of the State is at variance with the limitation of its powers to police regulation; and the instinct of civic self preservation decides against trusting wholly to individual generosity or ecclesiastical agencies for a universal social necessity. The State is not the government alone. It is the will of the people expressing itself in beneficent institutions as well as in penal or protective codes. The protective function of a State, indeed, may disappear as reason advances, but the loftier educational function will increase as social relations grow in complexity."

"If it be conceded that the youth of a commonwealth has the same right to be educated that they have to be free, then it must also be conceded that the State is responsible for and alone has the power to guarantee the granting of this social right. To those who concede the State's right and duty to educate in the primary education and deny it in the higher, it may be answered that an argument for any education is an argument for all education. Higher education simply means more education, better education, complete education for a complete life. It is not a cult for the few, or a caste for the wealthy, or a college for the exclusive. It is the training

ground for the people, and is the essence of democracy in its purposes and results.

"Let me not be understood in pleading for the higher education, as underrating the lower, for there is no essential distinction between the two. The State cannot be interested in one and not in the other, for they are one and indivisible. A system of education all universities and no primary schools would be a crime; as a system all primary schools and no universities would be a farce."

"Once we were aristocratic in government and education, but now we are democratic in both. At this stage of our culture, when millions are to be impressed with the importance of knowledge, the Southern scholar must forego his office of prophet and seer, and become ruler and reformer; and Southern universities and colleges must do the work of social regenerative forces, reaching out directly into the life of the people, making known how much better light is than darkness, and how sweet it is for the eyes to behold the sun; ennobling the poor man's poverty, and spiritualizing the rich man's gold."

"Higher education in the South does not exist for its own glory, for the fame of its teachers, for the pride of sect, or for any subjective or selfish reason. Its aims must be pure public aims, and its service public service."

"In a portentous era, and with inadequate means, it stands for the beneficent force that must transmute the tumultuous, untrained life about it into self-government perfected by education—its material, the youth of a new life and a new country; its strong fortress, the self-conscious state, no longer a synonym for rude force, but an expression of Christian sympathy and unity and conscience, seeking to realize and show forth the dignity of democracy, the beauty of popular concord and justice, and the majesty of Republican citizenship."

LATER DETAILS

Of the Burning of Buckner's Orphan Home—Sixteen Dead and Nine Injured.

Dallas, Tex., Jan. 15, 1897. Fire completely destroyed the Buckner's Orphan's Home, near here, early this morning. Sixteen children were cremated and nine injured, three of them fatally.

The dead are: Bertie Britton, aged 10 years; Martin and Milton Britton, 10 years; Carlos Jones, 6 years; Willis Richards, 9 years; Grover Cleveland Varborough, 12 years; Oscar Jackson, 12 years; Preston Keibles, 10 years; William Miller, 7 years; Virgie Neilson, 9 years; Eugene Black, 9 years; Richard Marks, 9 years; Arthur W. Edwards, 10 years; Oscar Coward, 7 years; Ray King, 6 years; Charles O. Axbannon, 3 years.

Injured: Dick Richards, 10 years, fatally; Danie Gray, 6 years, fatally; Chas. Friend, 10 years, fatally; Sadie Britton, 18 years; Bonnie War, 8 years; Sam Henderson, 11 years; Earl Dodde, 7 years; James Scott, 8 years; Frank Chaffin, 7 years.

All the dead except one were buried this evening in the cemetery of the home. Rev. Mr. Buckner, manager of the home, officiated. The home physicians are in attendance on the injured. All the farm hands in the vicinity turned out and assisted in making coffins, digging graves and burying the victims. There were 147 boys and more than 100 girls in the home, but all are accounted for.

The fire was discovered about midnight. Mrs. Britton, the boys' matron had been in bed some time when she was awakened by a smell of smoke. She jumped to the door but found it so hot she could not stand on it and she immediately raised the cry of fire. The attacks were hastily aroused and sent in all directions to rouse the children. Such was Mrs. Britton's anxiety for the safety of the inmates that she forgot her own children, and despite her frantic efforts at rescue they were burned to death.

The fire is believed to have originated in the room under that occupied by Mrs. Britton. Before Mrs. Britton retired for the night she had the boys clean out and prepare a stove situated in the room just under her, for the morning fire. She then sent one of the largest boys to see if the work had been properly done. He reported that everything was all right, but it is believed some live coals were scattered on the carpet near the stove, which ignited and soon spread to the wood work. The building is of wood and the fire communicated to its various wings with incredible rapidity.

The children were hastily aroused and hurried out of the building wrapped in their night clothes and bed quilts. All were badly frightened and when the shrieks of those who were being cremated in the roaring mass of flames reached their ears they became almost unmanageable and were with difficulty prevented from rushing into the fire in an effort at rescue. The building was soon destroyed, and at daylight the work of searching the ruins was taken up. All the children were accounted for by noon. The home is ten miles from Dallas and it would have been impossible to get aid out in time had it been requested. The matter will be investigated.

An Important Matter for Raleigh.

This city sustained a public calamity when the power house of the Raleigh Street Railway Company was burned on the last night of the year 1896. The street cars had just begun to be a paying investment when the building was destroyed. By this disaster not only was Raleigh deprived of a street car system, but many of our public buildings and places of business were left in total darkness. But the business men of this city who are stockholders in the company had too much push, enterprise and municipal pride to allow things to remain thus any longer than they could possibly help.

Hardly had the ashes ceased smoking than a new engine house was under way, just in the rear of where the former one stood. This building is now nearly completed. The machinery is in position, and fifteen or twenty men are hard at work raising the huge smokestack. When this is put in place the engine will be started and Raleigh will no longer be wrapped in darkness. By tomorrow night Mr. A. Thompson, the President of the Company, says he hopes to be again supplying electricity for the city. The gentlemen who have charge of this enterprise cannot be too highly commended for their promptness, especially since the money they have invested could have been placed in some enterprise which would certainly pay better. Now let the citizens of Raleigh remember that upon the success of this depends the reestablishment of the electric cars in this city. Let us give it our hearty cooperation and patronage.

PLENDID CLUB HOUSE

Capital Club to Erect a Handsome Building at an Early Date.

ITS DESIGN AND EQUIPMENT

THE BUILDING ALONE TO COST MORE THAN \$20,000.

Suites of Offices on the Ground Floor—Parlors, Reception, Dining, Billiard and Other Rooms on the Second—Dance Hall on the Third.

For a number of years the Capital Club, of Raleigh, has been recognized as the foremost, most exclusive and best equipped social organization, of its character, in the State. To attain to this standard of excellence in equipment and care of membership has long been the ambition of clubs of sister cities of North Carolina, but the Capital Club is now making a stride upward that will very much heighten the difficulties in the way of the gratification of this dream of sister clubs.

A splendid, thoroughly modern and luxuriously equipped club house is what the Capital Club is to have ere the autumn frosts of 1897 shall come.

The plans for the building are already drafted and their building committee has been given plenary power to proceed as they may deem best in the erection of the building upon their lot, corner Martin and Salisbury streets.

The plans, which have been adopted by the committee, were drafted by Messrs. Earl & Fishell, well known architects of Worcester, Mass.

All the details as to material and finish have not been perfected; but they are sufficiently developed to convey a very clear idea as to what the structure will be.

The building will be 77x77, probably built of pressed brick, with brown stone trimmings, and will be three stories and a basement.

The first floor will be devoted to suites of offices, which will, of course, yield a good revenue for the club. There will also be a large lobby on the floor, from which a grand stairway will lead up to the second floor into a splendid hall way running the full length of the building.

On this floor will be the reception rooms, parlors, billiard and card rooms, reading rooms dining room, bath and other apartments. A feature of the first floor will be a large restaurant, and there will be a dumb waiter service between this and the dining room above.

The third floor will be fitted up in the most approved style as a dance hall. It will be elegantly finished, and commodious dressing rooms will be attached.

The walls of the apartments, especially those on the first and second floors, will be richly decorated, and uniquely designed steel plate ceiling will be used throughout the building. All wood surfaces in the principal apartments will be given a hard wood finish.

The club apartments will be luxuriously furnished, and every detail of equipment to add to the pleasure and thorough comfort of clubmen and their guests will have the careful attention of competent committees.

The building committee, composed of Col. A. B. Andrews, Dr. D. E. Everett and Messrs. M. T. Leach, B. S. Jerman and L. Mahler, will hold a meeting early next week, at which details as to specifications will be determined upon, and the plans will soon thereafter be placed in the hands of contractors for bids.

A prominent member of the committee told a TRIBUNE reporter yesterday afternoon that inasmuch as plenary power had been delegated to them, they would push the enterprise with all possible speed, and that it was their intention to have the building erected during the coming spring and summer.

The club now numbers among its mem-

bers about seventy-five of Raleigh's leading citizens—leading social lights and successful business men, and it is with especial pleasure that THE TRIBUNE gives publicity to this convincing evidence of the club's prosperity and enterprise.

Headly, the Historian, Dead.

Newburg, N. Y., January 16.—Hon. Joel T. Headley, the historian and Ex-Secretary of State of New York, died here this morning.

Joel T. Headley was born December 30, 1818, at Walton, Delaware county, N. Y. He graduated from Union College in 1839 and afterwards took a course in Auburn Theological Seminary. After being ordained he was settled over a church at Stockbridge, Mass. His health failing, he went to Europe and wrote "Letters from Italy." On his return he became associate editor of the New York Tribune and the solicitor of his friend Horace Greeley. After a year in this position he resigned and devoted himself exclusively to authorship. He was elected to the New York Assembly in 1854, and a year later was chosen Secretary of State of New York. He was among the first to call attention to his writings, to the Adirondack mountains as a health resort. He resided here about thirty-five years and was for much of this time President of the trustees of Washington's headquarters.

FAMINE DISTRICT SUFFERERS

ENGLAND COMING HANDSOMELY TO THEIR AID.

A Socialist Put Out of the Hall Amid Cheers.

London, Jan. 16.—A large meeting was held at the Mansion House today for the purpose of furthering the work of aiding the sufferers by the famine in India. The Lord Mayor, Mr. George Faudel Phillips, presided. Among those present were Lord George Hamilton, Secretary of State for India; the Duke of Cambridge, the Duke of Connaught and Mr. George N. Curzon, under Secretary for Foreign affairs. A resolution declaring it to be a public duty to promote the work of extending the measures for relief was offered by the Duke of Connaught, whereupon an attempt was made by the socialist leader, Hyndman, to move an amendment deprecating the measures of relief for India in view of the distress in England. The Lord Mayor refused to listen to Hyndman, but he persisted in his attempt to move his amendment, and he was put out of the hall amid cheers. The resolution of the Duke of Connaught was adopted.

Gen. Lee Looking After American Citizens.

Havana, Jan. 16.—It is stated that the condition of Henry Delgado, who claims to be an American citizen and who was arrested a short time ago on the charge of being a rebel officer is critical. When Delgado was captured he was seeking to make his escape from a rebel hospital which had been discovered by Spanish troops.

He was ill at the time, and upon being brought to Havana he was placed in the San Ambrosio hospital. In view of his present condition Consul-General Lee has requested Captain General Weyer to order that Delgado have better quarters allotted to him, possibly a separate room in the same hospital or elsewhere, and that he be permitted to have the special medical attendance of Dr. Burgess, a well-known American physician who has practiced in Havana for a number of years. Delgado is said to be suffering from an abscess in addition to malarial fever.

Wheel Company Assigns.

Indianapolis, Ind., Jan. 16.—The Commercial Wheel Company offices in this city with Crawford Fairbanks, of Terre Haute, Treasurer, made an assignment to its afternoon to the Indiana Trust Co. Liabilities, \$100,000; assets supposed to be somewhat in advance of that amount. This is understood to be a voluntary liquidation of the wheel trust.

A PUBLIC SURPRISE!

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CONDENSED SCHEDULE.

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NORTH BOUND.

No. 2, Daily.	
Lv. Wilmington	7:50 a.m.
Ar. Fayetteville	11:00 a.m.
Lv. Fayetteville	11:21 a.m.
Ar. Fayetteville Junction	11:27 a.m.
Lv. Sanford	1:00 p.m.
Ar. Climax	2:50 p.m.
Ar. Greensboro	3:18 p.m.
Lv. Greensboro	3:25 p.m.
Lv. Stokesdale	4:10 p.m.
Ar. Walnut Cove	4:35 p.m.
Lv. Walnut Cove	4:38 p.m.
Lv. Rural Hall	5:10 p.m.
Ar. Mt. Airy	6:35 p.m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 1, Daily.	
Lv. Mt. Airy	8:40 a.m.
Lv. Rural Hall	10:04 a.m.
Lv. Walnut Cove	10:32 a.m.
Lv. Stokesdale	11:07 a.m.
Ar. Greensboro	11:55 a.m.
Lv. Greensboro	12:10 p.m.
Lv. Climax	12:41 p.m.
Ar. Sanford	2:35 p.m.
Lv. Sanford	2:55 p.m.
Ar. Fayetteville Junction	4:12 p.m.
Ar. Fayetteville	4:18 p.m.
Lv. Fayetteville	4:35 p.m.
Ar. Wilmington	7:45 p.m.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 4, Daily.	
Lv. Bennettsville	8:30 a.m.
Ar. Maxton	9:40 a.m.
Lv. Maxton	9:50 a.m.
Lv. Red Springs	10:08 a.m.
Lv. Hope Mills	11:01 a.m.
Ar. Fayetteville	11:19 a.m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 3, Daily.	
Lv. Fayetteville	4:28 p.m.
Lv. Hope Mills	4:42 p.m.
Lv. Red Springs	5:36 p.m.
Ar. Maxton	6:09 p.m.
Lv. Maxton	6:17 p.m.
Ar. Bennettsville	7:25 p.m.

NORTH BOUND.

No. 16, Mixed.	
Daily, ex. Sun.	
Lv. Ramseur	6:45 a.m.
Lv. Climax	8:35 a.m.
Ar. Greensboro	9:20 a.m.
Lv. Greensboro	9:35 a.m.
Lv. Stokesdale	11:07 a.m.
Ar. Madison	11:55 a.m.

SOUTH BOUND.

No. 15, Mixed.	
Daily, ex. Sun.	
Lv. Madison	12:30 p.m.
Lv. Stokesdale	1:28 p.m.
Lv. Greensboro	3:20 p.m.
Lv. Climax	4:15 p.m.
Ar. Ramseur	6:00 p.m.

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1:26 A. M. DAILY.

"Atlanta Special" Pullman Vestibule for Henderson, Weldon, Richmond, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and all points north. Buffet drawing room sleepers and man coaches Atlanta to Washington. Pullman sleeping car Monroe to Washington. Arrives at Washington, m., Baltimore 12 noon, Philadelphia, m., New York 4:53 p.m., Portmouth, Norfolk, Old Point, local stations Seaboard & Roanoke road.

11:31 A. M. DAILY.

For Henderson, Weldon, Portsmouth, Norfolk and intermediate stations, connects at Portsmouth Bay Line for Old Point and Baltimore. Pullman sleeping car Washington to New York. N. Y. P. & N. Railroad for Washington and points north; also at Weldon, Atlantic Coast Line for Richmond, York, and with Scotland Neck and Greenville, Washington and month. Pullman sleeping car Atlanta to month.

6:00 P. M. DAILY.

"Atlanta Special" Pullman Vestibule for Southern Pines, Hamlet, Winston, Monroe, Charlotte, Lincolnton, Chester, Clinton, Greenwood, Asheville, Athens, Atlanta, Augusta, Macon, Montgomery, Mobile, Orleans, Chattanooga, Nashville, and all points south and south through Pullman Buffet sleepers and coaches Washington and Atlanta, meeting directly at Union depot, with diverging lines, also Pullman sleeping car Portsmouth to Monroe.

3:40 P. M. DAILY.

For Wilmington, Charlotte, Greenwood, Athens, Atlanta and intermediate stations. Connects at station, Atlanta, with diverging Pullman sleeping car Portsmouth to Atlanta.

3:40 P. M. DAILY.

From Norfolk, Portsmouth and north via Bay Line and N. Y. P. & N. Railroad, Petersburg, Richmond, Washington, Baltimore, Philadelphia, New York and Boston; also from Greenville, Plymouth, Washington, N. C. Eastern Carolina points via Weldon.

1:21 A. M. DAILY.

"Atlanta Special" Pullman Vestibule from Atlanta and points south, Asheville, Greenville and Chester.

11:26 A. M. DAILY.

From Charlotte, Athens, Atlanta, intermediate stations.

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THE LATE SPEAKER CRISP

The House Listens to Eulogies Upon His Life and Services.

IRRY TRIBUTES TO THE DEAD SPEAKER

MR. HENDERSON OF IOWA EXPRESSED THE GENERAL ESTEEM

Which the Ex-Speaker Was Held—Cordial Relations and Mutual Respect.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—The House today, in accordance with an order entered some weeks ago, turned aside from the consideration of public business and listened to eulogies upon the life and services of the late ex-speaker Charles F. Crisp, of Georgia. The occasion was marked by an unusually large attendance of members, while the galleries were filled by auditors who listened with interest to the obituary oration. Tributes were paid to the deceased by Representatives Turner, of Georgia; Henderson, Iowa; Catchings, Mississippi; Dalzell, Pennsylvania; Richardson, Tennessee; Bartlett, Georgia; McMillin, Tennessee; Cummings, New York; Hermann, Oregon; De Armond, Missouri; Dinsmore, Arkansas; Buck, Indiana; Cooper, Florida; Swanson, Virginia; Lacy, Iowa; Bell, Colorado; Heeler, Alabama; Woodard, North Carolina; Layton, Ohio; McLaurin, South Carolina; McCreary, Kentucky; Welton, Maryland; Tate, Georgia; Livingston, Georgia; Lawson, Georgia; and Morse, Massachusetts.

While the eulogies were being delivered Speaker Reed called to the attention of the House under the administration of Speaker Crisp, the first instance in the present Congress that a Democrat had been asked to preside over the deliberations of the House. Before entering upon the execution of the order of the day, the House read two or three private bills. Mr. Turner was the first speaker. He briefly touched the principal events in Judge Crisp's life and closed by saying that there were wide divergencies of opinion between the late Speaker which made it fit that he should not be his eulogist, but that it would be performed by other members of the State delegation. The tribute of Mr. Henderson (Iowa) expressed the general esteem in which

the ex-Speaker was held. Mr. Henderson said: "My relations with Judge Crisp were somewhat singular. He was the first member of Congress with whom I held heated debate, and I believe I was the last with whom he had debate developing some of the feeling so often incident to our legislative life but leaving no scar. Though never intimate with Judge Crisp in the sense of comradeship, we were always good friends, enjoying thoroughly cordial relations and mutual respect. I soon learned that his word, once given, was sacredly kept. He was a man of high honor and self-respect was a dominating element in his character. He was truly a strong, deep and earnest character. He was never a trifler. He was kind and gentle in his manner, so much so in ordinary relations that one often wondered at the high and intense feeling which at times he was capable of swiftly reaching. He had in his nature the sunlight and the shadow, the tempest and the calm.

Entering the Confederate Army as a mere boy of 16, he soon learned how very serious a matter life was. It tempered the good metal until it was capable of great worth, and the boy without a boyhood was soon a powerful and aggressive man. His strength and ability invited the confidence of the people, who soon elevated him step after step until, in this body, he reached a position of power second only to that of the chief executive. When death took him he had not yet attained the fullest stature of his mind. The great Georgian sleeps after a hard, active, tireless summer's work, and before the autumn's harvest had come.

In concluding his remarks Judge De Armond, of Missouri, departed somewhat from the beaten path of such discourse, and considered the future of the departed speaker. "His spirit, where? Has its existence terminated with the existence of the body? Whatever philosophers may say, man rebels at the thought. The hope, sometimes clung to in desperation, sometimes clung to in brightest anticipations, that there is a hereafter and that men live in that hereafter, none of us will give up. The philosophy of calm reasoning cannot banish it. It springs as an inheritance of humanity, as an instinct in the soul of every being that breathes. We believe—our hopes, our affections, all that we hold near and dear in life, admonish us to believe and constrain us to believe—that our friend has not perished, but that in a higher and a nobler sphere this great intellect, this great loving spirit will flourish and expand and achieve new and perform new acts of glory and of grace."

At five minutes of six the resolutions were adopted, and the House adjourned until Monday at noon.

Condemning the Manitoba Schools.

Quebec, Jan. 16.—Bishop Begin, Co-adjutor to Cardinal Taschereau, has issued a mandament condemning the Manitoba schools settlement, which will be read in the Catholic churches tomorrow. The condemnation is direct and in unmistakable terms. "No Bishop approves of the present settlement," he says, "and no Bishop will ever approve of it." In the letter, which is quite long, Bishop Begin says another mandament will follow the present one.

BANKING AND CURRENCY

Notes of National Banks Up to the Par Value of Their Bonds.

BRANCHES SHOULD BE ESTABLISHED

IN REDEMPTION DISTRICTS TO ACT AS REDEMPTION AGENTS.

The Indianapolis Convention Criticized for Taking No Steps Toward the Solution of the Currency Question.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—The House Committee on Banking and Currency gave hearings today to R. A. Lancaster, a banker and broker of Richmond, Va.; Gamaliel Bradford, of Boston, and R. B. Ferris, vice President of the bank of New York, all of whom had suggestions to make concerning the solution of the currency problem.

Mr. Lancaster made a brief statement of his views, but did not present any definite plan in the form of a bill to change existing law.

Mr. Ferris advocated the passage of a bill which he explained was chiefly drawn by himself and had been introduced by Mr. McClellan of New York. Mr. Ferris said his plan was not a new system, but was amendatory of the present national banking act. Among other features, the Comptroller of the Currency should be authorized to issue notes to banks up to the par value of their bonds. To provide for the redemption of the notes issued under this act, the Secretary of the Treasury should be authorized to create redemption districts, each bank in such a district to select a bank in the central city of such redemption district to act as its redemption agent to be required to keep with this redemption agent a deposit equal to five per cent. of its outstanding circulation.

Mr. Ferris also argued in favor of permitting banks of large capital to establish branches in their various redemption districts, for which provision was made in the bill.

Mr. Gamaliel Bradford prefaced his remarks by saying that his banking experience began in 1851, and that he had been familiar in actual practice with

the Suffolk system and the old State bank system. For thirty years he had devoted himself to the study of various problems concerning the national finances. He asked how the people of the United States could be blamed for going astray on the financial question when the United States Senate set the example, in insisting upon the free coinage of silver and government bonds were sold under conditions recently existing. It would not do, he said, to retire the greenbacks without providing something to take their place, else a panic might come and the people would demand that the retirement be stopped, as had been done before.

Mr. Bradford criticized the Indianapolis convention for taking no effective steps towards the solution of the currency question. He wanted the Secretary of Treasury to come before Congress and tell what was wanted in the line of currency legislation. He thought this was the only way to make any progress.

FOUND DEAD IN BED.

A Bullet Hole in His Head and a Woman's Head Almost Severed.

Chattanooga, Tenn., Jan. 16.—At Rugby, Tenn., on the Cumberland plateau, ninety miles from Chattanooga, Benjamin Davies, proprietor of the Tabard Inn, and his wife were yesterday morning found dead in bed, the former with a bullet hole in the temple. The woman's head had almost been severed by a butcher knife. The children occupied the next room. They were not disturbed during the night, however, and in the morning went to their parents' chamber as usual as was their custom to dress, but found the door locked. In alarm they ran down stairs. The hotel clerk climbed over the transom and entered the room. Man and wife lay side by side on the bed. They had been dead for some hours. A pistol and bloody knife were found near. At the coroner's inquest the post-mortem discovered traces of poison in Davies' stomach. The drug which Davies took may have caused him to take his wife's life, then end his own. He is a native of Buffalo, N. Y., and was recently a head clerk at the Gibson House in Cincinnati.

A Bird Shoot.

Louisville, Ky., Jan. 16.—The five bird shoot between J. A. R. Elliott, of Kansas City, Mo., who claims the championship of Kentucky, this afternoon was won by Mr. Elliott. Score: Elliott 99; Gay, 96. Elliott did not kill a single bird with the first barrel. The match was for \$100 a side.

Officially Denied.

Madrid, Jan. 16.—An emphatic official denial is given to the report that was cabled here from the United States to the effect that Maximo Gomez, the rebel leader, had captured Santa Clara, capital of the Cuban province of that name.

THE HEART OF EUROPE

Touched at Last for the Stricken Land.

THE CURSE OF PLAGUE AND FAMINE

WILL THE PLAGUE FLOURISH IN NORTHERN LATITUDES

Is the Question that is Agitating the People of Europe at the Present Time.

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London, Jan. 16.—The eyes of the European world were turned this week toward India. Each day's intelligence from that stricken land makes it more apparent that the greatest tragedy in modern history is being enacted there under the double curse of plague and famine. The heart of Europe has been touched at last, and the universal sympathy is perhaps more because it is now tinged with apprehension. It would not be surprising if within a month a genuine plague panic should spread through Christendom. The great powers show alarm, and the news comes today that Italy has summoned an international conference to meet forthwith at Rome to consider measures for dealing with the danger. There is little doubt that the response of other governments will be favorable, and all resources of modern science will be speedily arrayed against this hideous foe. Reliable information about the real extent of the plague in Bombay and vicinity is lacking, and regarding the mortality it is only said in general terms that more than half of those attacked succumb.

The news service of the London press is strangely inadequate, and it is from private sources that most of the information comes. The point which most interests Europeans is whether the awful disease is likely to flourish in Northern latitudes if infection should be introduced here, but no evidence is forthcoming yet.

Gov. O'Ferrall Worse.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 16.—Governor O'Ferrall, who is suffering from an attack of grip, complicated with kidney trouble, is not so well tonight.

THE SIAMESE GOVERNMENT

Steps In and Takes Possession of a Dead American's Property.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—Press dispatches three weeks ago announced that Mr. Kellert, who is an unpaid official appointed by Minister and Consul-General Ea ret two years ago, had been fired upon and wounded by Siamese soldiers. It is impossible to confirm this news at the State Department at the time, but it was explained the fact that Mr. Kellert had a right to engage in trade, and possibly some personal affair of his own had led to his arrest by local authorities.

Today it is learned that for some time litigation has been in progress over the estate of an American named Cheek, who had a valuable teak concession from the Siamese government. This had been highly remunerative during Cheek's life time, but when, after his death, it became desirable to wind up his estate, the Siamese government stepped in and took measures to prevent the sale of a number of elephants he had raised and employed in getting out timber.

It is also said that Kellert was the executor for the estate or the agent of the heirs, and his activity in their behalf had probably led to friction with the Siamese authorities who, perhaps, overstepped the usual legal methods in trying to get rid of him.

No American war ship has been to Bangkok for about seven years, and while Minister Barrett has been well received there, the Siamese have not had as much respect for the American flag as for that of either Great Britain or France.

Boy Smashes a Prize Fighter in the Face.

Brooklyn, N. Y., Jan. 16.—After the performance at Hyde & Beaman's theatre this evening Bob Fitzsimmons with some friends went to a nearby saloon where they drank quite freely. At midnight an 18 year old newsboy with a bundle of papers under his arm entered the place. Fitzsimmons grabbed the papers from the boy and called him a vile name. The lad turned and smashed Fitzsimmons on the nose. Fitzsimmons started in to beat the boy. The crowd interfered and whipped Fitzsimmons. The lights were turned off and the police called. Fitzsimmons is now locked in the saloon awaiting the arrival of the police.

Net in Danger.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 16.—The steamer Haxby, from Liverpool to Norfolk, consigned to Barber & Co., to load, went ashore near Dam Neck in the heavy fog this morning. The wrecker William Cole is at work on the vessel and will probably pull her off tomorrow. She is not in any immediate danger.

An unknown steamer, thought to be the Staffa, went ashore today two miles north of Wash Woods life saving station. She is resting easily and will probably get off tonight or tomorrow.

SENATOR JOHN SHERMAN.

Outside this personal relationship, there are logical reasons why the choice is eminently proper. Three great questions are before the people

Another distinguishing feature is that theosophy maintains and teaches the re-incarnation of the spirit, while Spiritualism, as before observed, does not. To the Spiritualist the change which man calls death is but the gateway through which the spirit passes to a brighter and a better state than this, there to enter upon a spiritual and deathless career.

From Asheville Citizen.

Shake

State Register, Asheville.

Remembering the Alabama claims and the Geneva award, the government at Washington would be foolish indeed if it winked at the fitting out and dispatching of filibustering expeditions from American ports.

It is amusing to see a man taking seriously a little piece of humor, and in consequence illustrating the old Aesop Fable of the gnat that lit on the chariot wheel. Some smart writer wrote an editorial for a country newspaper, declaring for Ramsey for Senator, and it seems to have put a bee in the bonnet of the Farmer editor. He may as well imagine himself a dude because of the facious remarks of some on the red shoes he wore during the summer. No one else took the editorial seriously—it was humor pure and simple.

WHAT A CONTRAST.

McCASKEY-BUTLER.

"Senator McCaskey, chairman of the bolters, said: 'Butler told us if we did not return to the caucus we would be read out of the party. I replied we had crossed the Rubicon. Our conference was on a high plane. Butler's argument was that such as we as were not absolutely pledged to Pritchard should return to the caucus and work for the nominee. I told him some were pledged, some nominally bound, and some thought it good politics to support Pritchard. Butler said no party could be held together unless under caucus rule. I then said to him we had both often criticised the Democratic caucus rule, and that once in caucus in Congress Tom Watson was the only man who stood up. I added that our people were sensitive about caucus rule. I expect to be here."

Press Notices.

It is rumored that Ellen Terry recently refused to admit to the fact that she is married to the Duke of Marlborough. She must have been dressed in winning style.

It did not require a tariff hearing to demonstrate that this government needs more revenue. A glance at the Treasury state agents will show that.

Chicago's City Council has passed an ordinance directed against the bull-beaters hat. But there appears no reason why the hat should be so objectionable.

Three marriage licenses were issued in the Register office. However, one of the couples was from the other Mr. and Mrs. Eddie Creek township. The bride, Miss Page, his property was taken to the court house. He secured the license from the Register. Jones acquired it from the rest. So Mr. Will and Mrs. John, as he is, perhaps, is a man for them. Mr. and Mrs. Jones departed for their home.

SCHOOLS

Mebane's
Improvement.

LONGER TERMS

WILL BE ASKED
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to be Submitted toInterests of North
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A SHORT LIVED SESSION

Was That of the Senate
and House Yes-
terday.

THE BUGGY CARPET HELD SWAY

THE GRIP GERMS WERE GREATER
THAN THE SOLONS.Who Met and Adjourned Out of
Respect for Said Bugs.The Senate was opened with prayer
by Senator McNeill.Leave of absence was granted to Sen-
ators Scales and Justice.

No bills were introduced.

A bill for the relief of Ex Sheriff Var-
may of Wilkes passed its second and
third readings.A resolution to pay postoffice box
rent was adopted.A bill for the relief of Dr. George W.
Walker of Pender county passed its
second and third readings.By unanimous consent House bill re-
pealing chapter 466, laws of 1895
known as the assignment act, passed its
second and third readings.The Senate adjourned at ten o'clock
to meet at four p. m. tomorrow.

HOUSE.

The session of the House of Represent-
atives yesterday morning was the short-
est yet held during the present term and
was also probably by far the most slimly
attended.The Speaker rapped for order at 9:45
o'clock and called upon Representative
W. H. H. Lawton to conduct the devo-
tional service.On motion of Mr. Johnson of Samson,
the reading of the previous day's journal
was dispensed with and a few minutes
was allowed for the introduction of new
bills. Only two were sent forward, as
follows:Mr. Cathey—Bill to protect the people
of Swain county owning property on
watercourses from damage by floating
logs. The bill provides that all parties
building booms or splash dams for the
floating of logs, shall first give bonds in
the sum of \$1,000 to pay all damage by
any logs they may float.Mr. Bryan of Edgecombe—Bill to re-
peal section 22, chapter 210, public laws
of North Carolina.Speaker Hildman announced the fol-
lowing committees and changes in same
already announced:Fish Interests—Mr. Hancock, Chair-
man; Duncan, Babbitt, Pool, Hogg's.
Alexander, Parker of Perquimans; H. R.
Hyde, Elliott, Cox, Daniels, Fagan,
Rountree, Chapman, Spruill, Drew,
Hare, Burgess, Gallon and Howe.Insurance—Mr. White of Randolph,
Chairman; Fagan, Price, Pool, Allen,
Harris of Halifax, Cunningham, Law-
ton and Eddies.Add to Committee on Insane Asylum
Messrs. Hartness and Young.To Privileges and Elections, Messrs.
Duffy, and substitute Ferguson for
Gallon.Add Mr. Hartness to Judiciary Com-
mittee and Mr. McPeters to that on Agri-
culture, Mechanics and Mining.The Speaker also announced the fol-
lowing special committee to investigate the
charges of fraud in the pending Senatorial
contest: Schuklen, Lusk and Wilson.Promptly at 10 o'clock the House ad-
journed in order that the hall be again
taken in hand by the renovators and the
war against the grippe bacteria resumed.
Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock is the hour
for next session.

CIVIL SERVICE EXAMINATION.

The Largest Number Who Ever Stood
in Raleigh Were Present.Sixty-three of the seventy who an-
nounced that they would stand the ex-
amination were present yesterday. Seven
of the sixty-three were colored and three
of them were ladies. This is the first
time a lady has ever stood the examina-
tion for a place in the revenue depart-
ment. Places are to be filled for deputy
collector, ganger, storekeeper, clerk and
messenger. The applicants were J. S.
Cheek, Mebane, J. L. Sherwood, Pay-
etteville; E. H. Osborne, Oxford; W. B.
Harris, Method; C. C. Keine, Gray's
Chapel; W. P. Lane, Goldsboro; J. N.
Bennett, Faison; E. J. Greene, Durham;
J. J. Law, on, Cameron; J. J. Stead, West
End; S. W. Andrews, Chapel Hill; P. J.
Long, Garysboro; S. G. Satterwhite, Gil-
burg; D. A. Johnson, Cary; W. E. Mas-
son, Williams' Mills; S. W. Vickrey,
Pleasant Garden; L. S. Pritchard, Dur-
ham; A. W. Moye, Cary; W. A. McAr-
thur, Jonesboro; W. H. Whitely, Smith-
field; J. P. Williams, Warrenton; J. R.
Collie and C. K. Cooke of Louisville; F.
B. Wimbley, Oxford; N. M. McInnis,
Curriesville; T. D. Hardin, Sperry; G. M.
Robbins, Rocky Mount; A. M. Elius,
Liberty; J. H. Sullivan, West Durham;
C. Goodwin, Selma; S. E. Williams,
Phoenix; M. A. Jackson, Cooper, and Z.
B. Saunders, Troy. Those from Raleigh
were C. J. Stoue, T. M. Ashe, R. B. King,
Jr., L. D. Terrill, W. E. F. King,
S. F. Gardner, J. R. O'Neill, C. B. An-
drews, E. A. Adams, G. M. Spence, Daniel
Allen, A. J. Griffin, J. J. McKay, H. G.
Griffin, J. T. Anderson, S. W. Holloway,
C. H. Holloway, M. A. Moser, J. C. Bea-
vers, Miss L. N. Clark, Miss Lizzie
Small, J. A. Creech, W. E. Forster, Mrs.
P. C. Patterson, T. J. Stevenson, H. N.
Clark, W. R. Kennette, C. M. Pritchett,
S. C. Dixon, H. S. Christmas and E. M.
Womble.

Marriages.

Three marriage licenses were yester-
day issued in the Register of Deeds' of-
fice. However, one man did better
than the others. Mr. L. E. Jones of
Middle Creek township, carried Miss
Ada Page, his prospective bride, with
him to the court house. After he had
procured the license from Mr. Williams,
Mr. Jones required that he wouldn't do
the rest. So Mr. Williams, obliging
gentleman as he is, performed the cere-
mony for them. Mr. and Mrs. Jones
then departed for their home.

LIVELY DISCUSSION EXPECTED

On Bill Providing Legal Change of Name
in Hands of Judiciary Committee—Its
Provisions.During the last several years there
have been repeated efforts to have a bill
introduced in the General Assembly,
providing a general State law under
which parties desiring to do so can have
their names legally changed.A bill of this character, introduced by
Mr. Hauser, of Lenoir, is now in the
hands of the Judiciary Committee and
will be reported to the House very prob-
ably Monday afternoon, and it is when
the report is made that it is thought a
lively and quite interesting discussion
of the proposed law will occur.The Chairman of the Committee will
report the bill favorably; but Mr. Mc-
Crary, supported by certain other mem-
bers of the committee, will render a mi-
nority report, vigorously protesting
against the passage of the bill. The
measure will have several strong sup-
porters and Mr. McCrary will doubtless
champion the opposition.The bill provides that any party desir-
ing to change his name shall advertise
such intention, the causes therefor and
present and proposed name, on the court
house door and at two conspicuous places
in his township for thirty days prior to
a date, when he shall make application
as judge of the Superior Court for the
change, the bill delegating this power to
these courts.

SENATOR MAXWELL'S HIT.

He Speaks and Legislators Steal
Away—Equalled an Army of La
Grippe Bacteria.A group of State Senators and members
of the House were in front of Park Ho-
tel, yesterday afternoon, discussing several
different members and the course being
pursued by them on certain legislative matters,
when it was declared that if their constitu-
ents had known that these members were
going to take the stand on certain questions
that they have, none of them would have
been here. Senator R. G. Maxwell, the
"Red-headed Wood-pecker, of the East," cut
the discussion short by "Gentlemen it is only
by the grace of God and the mistakes of all
parties that any of us are here."The approach of an army of la grippe
bacteria fresh from their supposed re-
fuges in the halls of the State capital, could
not have caused a more general disap-
pearance of Senators and Representatives
than followed this declaration of the "Red-
headed Wood-pecker of the East."

From Greensboro, N. C.

The State Council of Junior Order
United American Mechanics will meet
in this city February 23rd. The order
has made rapid progress during the
past year. The local lodges here are
eager to give the delegates an en-
joyable time. While the council is here
they will present national flags to the
graded schools, and they will be raised
over the schools by the city lodges with
appropriate exercises.As the term of our present postmaster
expires in October, the fight has already
begun for his place. The most promi-
nent name mentioned so far for the place is
Mr. Tyre Glenn, an original McKu-
ley man. It is thought that he will be
the lucky man, as all of his opponents
were ardent Reed supporters.The Mt. Airy Granite Company, of
this place, will submit a bid for the
stone work on a new music hall, to be
erected at Homestead, Pa., by Mr.
Carnegie.Letters of incorporation were yester-
day issued by Clerk Hagan, of the Su-
perior Court to the Simpson-Shields
Shoe Company. The incorporators are
A. D. Simpson, M. L. Shields and Geo.
Cone. The capital stock is \$25,000.

SOMETHING OF REMENYI.

He will Play at the Opera House
Monday Night.Edonard Remenyi was born at Mos-
kolt, in Hungary. From earliest in-
fancy he showed signs of a great musical
genius. At the age of 10 years he
was placed under the charge of the
celebrated violin instructor, Joseph
Bohn, who also taught the noted
Joseph Joachim. He went to England,
and en route he became acquainted with
the grand music master of the age, his
countryman Franz Liszt, who recog-
nized his great genius and became his
fast friend and adviser.Soon after the young artist's arrival
in London he was appointed solo violin-
ist to the Queen. Having made him-
self famous he was called to the Court
of the Emperor of Austria, as chief
musician. He has made a tour of the
entire globe and played for the pos-
sible of all nations. His first tour
in America was made in 1878-9. Since
that time he has made another tour.He possesses the oldest violins in the
world, and the amount estimated of
their value—for which he pays in in-
terest—is \$90,000. He also has a viola
for which he has been offered \$7,500.
His special favorite violin is a L. p.
which rejoices in the name of "Le
Laysan." It was made by Nicolò
de Paris in 1818. His viola is no doubt
the finest in the world. It is known as
"The Cathedral" and was made by Pa-
ola Maggini in Bassano in 1617.

Death of Mrs. Bland.

Saturday morning Mrs. Isabella Bland,
wife of Mr. J. S. Bland, passed away
at her home on South Salisbury street.
Mrs. Bland was the mother of Mrs.
Enola Bland, who has charge of the
general delivery window at the post-
office. She leaves several other young
children. Mrs. Bland was a good
and pious woman, beloved by all who
knew her. The body was carried to
Spout Springs for interment on the
a. m. train today.

Notice for Charter..

Notice is hereby given that applica-
tion will be made to the General As-
sembly now in session to incorporate the
Insurance Company of North Carolina

No. 13 North Exchange Place.

Having bought the stock of Mr. N.
Daboy, in order to put in a new front,
will sell entire stock now on hand at a
great reduction. I have everything in the
grocery line. Yours to please
jan 15 1 w
R. A. WHITE.

Raleigh News Items.

Seats are being rapidly taken for
Remenyi next Monday evening.Bills are being posted about the city
for Flagg's Female Minstrels, to be here
on January 20th.Two young ladies, of this city, are
soon to begin canvassing for a Life In-
surance Company.The banks of the city will be closed
Tuesday, as it is a legal holiday, being
Gen. Robert E. Lee's birthday.An auction sale of horses was con-
ducted at Nixon's stables yesterday.
Good Western horses brought from \$20
to \$30."The dark clouds which lingered a
day or so after the snow, have passed
away, and once more all is joy and sun-
shine."On the sidewalk, in front of C. H.
Baine & Co.'s store, on Hargett street,
Saturday, various and sundry articles
were sold at auction.At the Young Men's Christian Asso-
ciation, this afternoon at 4 o'clock, re-
ligious exercises will be conducted. All
men are invited to be present.All who assisted in the Lutheran Refor-
mation, and others who have been
asked, will please meet Mrs. Mayers
Monday afternoon at 4:30 o'clock, and
Tuesday evening at 7:30 o'clock at Met-
ropolitan Hall.Work is now progressing smoothly
on the African Methodist Episcopal
church, on Edenton street. The corner-
stone of this building was laid with
great ceremony nearly eighteen years
ago. However, it will not be eighteen
more before it is completed.

Women in School Boards.

From Chicago Journal.

In Minneapolis a woman has been
elected President of the Board of
Education. Minneapolis has probab-
ly done well. Directing primary
education is a thing which in this
country comes almost as much
within the sphere of womanhood
as maternity.

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collarettes, our first floor, Fayetteville
collarettes, street entrance, our entire
collarettes, stock of Fur Collarettes
collarettes, and Ostrich and Feather
collarettes, Boas and marked, in plain
collarettes, figures, every one just half
collarettes, its former price.\$15 Collarettes now \$7.50
collarettes, 12 " " 6.00
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collarettes, 10 " " 5.00
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collarettes, 6 " " 3.00
collarettes, 4 Feather " 2.00
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collarettes, 2 " " 1.00
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Curtain Sale than manufacturer's cost.Curtain Sale Think of it—Real Point
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Curtain Sale yards long, for \$1.75 a
Curtain Sale pair, and an oak or wal-
Curtain Sale nut pole and fixtures
Curtain Sale with each pair free. A
Curtain Sale handsome Chenille Cur-
Curtain Sale tain, 3 1/2 yards long, with
Curtain Sale oak or cherry pole and fix-
Curtain Sale tures, for only \$1.88. We
Curtain Sale mention these two special
Curtain Sale kinds to show what you
Curtain Sale may expect in the way of
Curtain Sale bargains at this sale. Hun-
Curtain Sale dreds of pairs will be sold
Curtain Sale at the same sacrifice, and
Curtain Sale if you wish to get the pick
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MEET FOR A COMMON PURPOSE

THE MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE RULES COMMITTEE

To Plead for the Perpetuation of the Vicksburg Battlefield—Speaker Reed Does Not Consider the Matter from the Sentimental Side.

Washington, D. C., Jan. 16.—In the disturbed condition of affairs in the Southern States which followed the war, a commission sent out by President Johnson to investigate matters (and of which Gen. J. S. Fullerton, of the Chickamauga Park Commission, is now almost the only survivor), found in every Southern hotel they visited, Gen. Robert E. Lee's portrait displayed in the post of honor in the office. The one partial exception was Vicksburg, where the portrait of Lee on the right was flanked by that of U. S. Grant on the left. Yesterday this incident was recalled by a remarkable rencontre, which occurred in the Speaker's room at the capitol.

Col. Fred D. Grant, of New York, son of the great Union general, and Lieut. Gen. S. D. Lee, of Mississippi, one of the Confederate leaders, met for a common purpose. Grant and Lee are here, both advocating the perpetuation of the battle field on which Grant won his greatest laurels as a strategist and a fighting soldier. Col. Grant represented the army of the Tennessee and Gen. Lee, represented the Confederate Veterans Association. They are the leaders of a commission, having for its object the purchase of the country surrounding Vicksburg, to be held by the Federal government in perpetuity, so that future generations may see how the great Federal general maneuvered to capture the Gibraltar of the Confederacy.

The Park Commission, represented by Grant and Lee, appeared before the Committee on Rules, consisting of Speaker Reed and Messrs. Henderson and Dalzell, to plead that a day may be set aside for the consideration of their bill, making an appropriation for the preliminary work of surveying and marking the lines of battle. As the bill carries an appropriation, Speaker Reed would not make a positive answer, saying that the matter could not be considered on its sentimental side.

FROM HEART DISEASE

VICE PRESIDENT AND GENERAL MANAGER

Of the Atlantic and Danville Railway Expires in a Bath Tub.

Norfolk, Va., Jan. 16.—Mr. Charles D. Owens, Vice President and General Manager of the Atlantic and Danville Railway, died suddenly last night at the home of Mr. Adam Tredwell, on Duke street, where he lived. He was in good spirits last evening and did not go upstairs till nearly midnight. This morning he was found in the bath room dead. The coroner was notified and an inquest resulted in a verdict of death from heart disease. The deceased was 63 years of age and leaves a widow and three sons in Savannah, Ga. He has been for years a prominent transportation man, being formerly general traffic agent of the Plant system with headquarters in New York. He came to Norfolk in 1895. The remains will be carried to Savannah for interment, leaving here tomorrow morning in a private car over the Atlantic Coast Line. His nephew, Mr. C. O. Haynes, Superintendent of the Atlantic and Danville Railway, will accompany them there.

Hailed With Delight.

Berlin, January 16.—Outside of military and government circles with the press exponents of their views the general arbitration treaty just signed by Great Britain and the United States is hailed with delight. The Central and Pressing newspapers concur in acclaiming the treaty as offering the very best solution of the question how to escape from the system of militarism which is now draining the life blood of Europe, and advocate a similar measure on the part of the Continental powers. The leading paper, Germania, predicts that the conclusion of the Anglo-American treaty will influence the party of the Centre which is now the strongest party in the Reichstag in dealing with the demands of the Imperial government for a large increase in the army estimates for the purpose of augmenting the artillery and other branches of the military service. Pursuing the subject the paper asks why this momentous event—the signing of the treaty—cementing peace between 110,000,000 of people ought not to lead to similar understandings between other countries.

Hotel Closed.

Richmond, Va., Jan. 16.—The hotel Dodson closed its doors at noon today. Before a deed of assignment could be made some of the creditors sued out an attachment and levied on the effects. Liabilities unknown.

Jordan M. Dancy's Ambition Has Been Chiefly as an

EDUCATOR AND LEADER OF HIS PEOPLE

JOHN C. DANCY, ANOTHER COLORED EDUCATOR.

He Seconded Senator John Sherman's Nomination for the Presidency in 1888.

JORDAN H. DANCY

Jordan H. Dancy of Edgecombe county was born July 4, 1859, in Tarboro, Edgecombe county, N. C. At the age of seven he entered the public school of Tarboro, where he made rapid progress as a pupil. At the age of twelve his father moved to the country where young Dancy learned to do most any thing, but he was still anxious to improve his intellectual abilities. At the age of twenty he had by his perseverance saved enough money to enter the People's High School at Tarboro, where he so wonderfully improved his intellect and outstripped his classmates and was employed in the same school as an assistant teacher. He then was known as one of the leading teachers of Edgecombe county. His ambition has been chiefly as an educator and leader of his people.

He became a member of that old, well known organization which all men love, who know its principles, known as F. and A. Masons. At the age of 21 he soon rose to prominence in this order; served three years as worshipful master and the same number of years as secretary, and has delivered several lectures in the State on Masonry. He is also prominent in church work, being a member of St. Luke's Protestant Episcopal church at Tarboro, serving eight years as teacher in the parochial school, serving seven years as lay reader in the above named church; eight years also as vestryman. He has been superintendent of the Sunday school, and at the same time secretary of the church and Bible teacher in 1888. He was chosen as president of the Central Republican Club of Tarboro, known as the Harrison, Dockery and Cheatham Club. He managed the club with such success and skill that he has been the president of all similar clubs since. He is one of the leading Republicans of Edgecombe, and is known as an honest, Christian gentleman, having the confidence and respect of all who know him.

JOHN C. DANCY.

John C. Dancy of Salisbury, N. C., who has been prominent for the past two weeks here in the fight for the return of Senator Pritchard to the Senate, and who has done most excellent work in such capacity, is regarded by all the leaders of the party as one of the brightest colored men in the State, and even in the South, has a remarkable record for a man of his years—he is just thirty eight.

He was born at Tarboro, N. C., was educated there and at Howard University, Washington, D. C.; held a government position in the Treasury Department, resigned, came home and was made principal of the public school with 300 pupils at the age of nineteen years; was State Secretary of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars for seven years, going as delegate to the International Sessions held at Boston in 1878 and Liverpool, England, in 1879; lectured extensively in England, Ireland, Scotland and Wales during the trip; was twice elected Register of Deeds of Edgecombe county; presided over the State Convention in looking to recognition of colored men on juries throughout the State; has been a delegate to every State Convention since 1878 and Secretary of all except two, when he declined to serve; has been to three National Conventions as a delegate; seconded the nomination of Gen. John A. Logan for Vice President at Chicago in 1884, and he was nominated.

In 1888 he seconded the nomination of Senator John Sherman for the Presidency at Chicago, and was enthusiastically applauded. In 1891 President Harrison appointed him Collector of Customs at the port of Wilmington, N. C., for which office he was confirmed without opposition. He served more than a year under the Cleveland administration. He is at present a member of the State Executive and Campaign Committees.

Dancy is professionally a newspaper editor, having been at the head of the organ of his church, the Star of Zion, for seven years, and is now editor of the Quarterly Review, the literary organ of said denomination. In such capacity he was elected president of the National Press Association by the leading newspaper men of his race. He is affable, courteous, conservative, sincere, honest and true. All who know him respect him for his ability and his unusual fairness to friend and foe alike. The field in which he appears to best advantage is that of oratory. All who heard him in the last State Convention and in nearly every Congressional district during the late campaign give him a front rank among the best orators of the State. He is tall, well built, brown in complexion, of quick movement, always in good humor, but a Republican in every fibre.

Mr. John W. Harden, Jr., (Jack) is confined to his room with a severe cold. It is hoped he will soon be out.

Mr. W. T. O'Brien, a staunch Republican of Durham and one of the most enterprising citizens of that bustling town, paid THE TRIBUNE a pleasant visit last evening.

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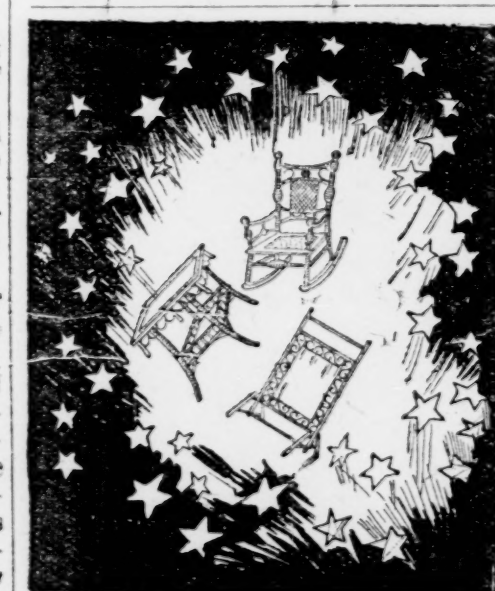
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BUSINESS MORE ACTIVE

Condition of the Country's International Trade

THE CAUSE OF THE IMPROVEMENT

INCOMING ADMINISTRATION ALSO CUTS A FIGURE IN IT.

The Money and Stock Markets—The One Easy and Low Rate, the Other Moving Upward—Other Markets Steady and Strong.

New York, Jan. 16.—Business was more active at the stock exchange today than for a long time past. The sales for the two hours of trading reaching the large total of 203,752 shares—the activity was accompanied by a decidedly higher range of prices, and taken altogether a more cheerful tone prevailed in financial and stock circles. The revival of speculative interest was due principally to the magnificent showing made by the bureau of statistics of the condition of the country's international trade for the past year. For the period named the excess of exports over imports aggregated \$325,322,184, the largest total in twenty years. The steady increase in the amount of net gold held by the Treasury Department, the total standing at over one hundred and forty millions at the commencement of business today, together with the great ease in money in the local market, were also favorable factors. Another bull argument was the announcement by Senator Sherman of his acceptance of the portfolio of Secretary of State and the statement that the United States should not interfere in the Cuban trouble. In some quarters this was looked upon as strong indication of the incoming administration's attitude toward Spain. A further gain in the bank reserve stimulated buying in the closing trading. The increase in reserve amounted to \$8,181,075, and the banks now hold \$52,099,293 in excess of legal requirements. The increase in specie was \$928,300, and in legal tenders \$7,589,800. Loans were expanded \$83,000, and deposits increased \$9,348,100.

The improvements in stock prices were equal to 1 1/2 per cent, the latter in Illinois steel, which rose from 37 to 40. The usually prominent issue advanced 1/2 per cent. Not far behind the list in point of activity, 39,400 shares changing hands at 11 1/4-11 7/8. Washing on firms and banks alleged to be acting for lower Wall street in this market, were buyers of the stock. Firms with Boston and Chicago connections took 1/2 million of the grangers. General Electric got up to 35 on the injunction just granted restraining the Steel Motor Company, of Lorain, Ohio, from selling and manufacturing the under-running trolley system. Speculation closed strong with prices at the highest point of the day and week. Not changes show gains of 1 1/2 per cent. Bonds were active and strong. The sales totaled \$1,668,000.

Loans January 16, 1897, \$191,329,200; January 18, 1896, \$153,958,200; January 19, 1895, 490,322,900. Specie, January 16, 1897, 77,821,300; January 18, 1896, 73,610,500; January 19, 1895, 77,955,300. Legal tender, January 16, 1897, 113,697,800; January 18, 1896, 81,836,000; January 19, 1895, 108,085,500. N. Y. deposits, January 16, 1897, 557,836,300; January 18, 1896, 492,403,800; January 19, 1895, 602,302,900. Circulation, January 16, 1897, 18,743,900; January 18, 1896, 13,932,400; January 19, 1895, 11,412,000. Total reserve, January 16, 1897, 191,519,100; January 18, 1896, 155,446,500; January 19, 1895, 168,040,800. Reserve required, January 16, 1897, 139,346,575; January 18, 1896, 123,100,950; January 19, 1895, 140,726,725. Excess of reserve, January 16, 1897, 52,172,525; January 18, 1896, 32,345,550; January 19, 1895, 27,485,075.

MONEY MARKET.

New York, Jan. 16.—Money on call at 1 1/2 per cent. Last loan at 1/2 and closing at 1/2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3 1/2 per cent. Exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 4 1/4-4 1/2 for 60 days and 4 7/8-4 7/8 for demand. Postpaid rates 4 1/4-4 1/4. Commercial bills 4 1/4-4 1/4. Government bonds firm. State bonds dull. Railroad bonds active and strong. Silver at the board was neglected.

STOCKS.

American Cotton Oil	144
do. pref'd	56
American Sugar Refinery	116 1/2
do. pref'd	102 1/2
American Tobacco	77 1/2
do. pref'd	104
Atchafon	14 1/2
B. & O.	50 1/2
Canadian Pacific	50 1/2
Ch. & O.	18
Ch. & Alton	1 1/2
Ch. & Q.	70 1/2
Chicago Gas	79
Delaware & Lackawanna	156
D. & C. F.	15
do. pref'd	34 1/2
General Electric	34 1/2
Illinois Central	18
J. & W.	68
do. pref'd	152 1/2
Lake Shore	51 1/2
N. & A. C.	45
Manhattan Consolidated	92 1/2
L. & C.	15
Michigan Central	90
Missouri Pacific	23
Tobacco & Ohio	22
Wash. & Chat.	67 1/2
W. S. Cordage	102
J. Central	102
J. Y. Central	102
J. Y. & N. E.	45
J. & W. pref'd	164
Northern Pacific	13 1/2
do. pref'd	104 1/2
do. pref'd	153 1/2
do. pref'd	242
do. pref'd	27 1/2

Rock Island	69 1/2
St. Paul	70 1/2
do. pref'd	131
Silver Certificates	64 1/2
Tenn. Coal & Iron	30 1/2
do. pref'd	90
Texas Pacific	94
Union Pacific	71
Wabash	71
do. pref'd	102 1/2
Western Union	85 1/2
W. & L. E.	28 1/2
do. pref'd	14

BONDS.

Alabama, class A	104
do. B	103
do. C	96
La. B. 4's	95
N. C. 4's	100
do. 6's	122
Tenn. new set 3's	77 1/2
Ya. 6's, def.	5
Ya. T. B. S.	6
Ya. F. D.	61 1/2
U. S. 4's reg.	111
do. coup.	111 1/2
do. 2's	95 1/2
So. Railway 5's	90 1/2
do. con.	91
U. S. 4's pref'd	29
U. S. new 4's, Dec	102
do. Coup.	120
do. Coup.	121

WEEKLY BANK STATEMENT.

New York, January 16.—The weekly statement of the associated banks shows the following changes: Reserve, increase, \$8,181,075; loans, increase, \$928,300; specie, increase, \$928,300; legal tenders, increase, \$7,589,800; deposits, increase, \$9,348,100; circulation, decrease, \$163,900. The banks now hold \$52,099,293 in excess of legal requirements.

TREASURY BALANCES.

New York, Jan. 16.—Treasury balances: Coin, \$122,695,290; currency, \$46,072,010.

CHICAGO PRODUCE MARKET.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 16.—The buying of wheat today was principally to cover "shorts," but it was pretentious enough to communicate quite a little firmness to the market. Above the "cash" there was pressure of wheat against the so-called "futures" to check the advance.

May wheat opened from 80 1/2 to 81, advanced to 81 1/2, closing at 80 1/2, 1/2 of a cent higher than yesterday. Cash wheat was firm and 1/2 to 1/2 of a cent higher.

Corn—the strength of wheat imparted some firmness to corn, but trade showed no improvement. Business was lifeless and little or no interest in the action of the market was evinced. East bound rates on corn were reduced from 20 to 15 cents last night, that having a tendency to steady prices for this grain. The wet weather was, likewise, some thing of a strengthening factor.

May corn opened at 24 1/2, sold at 24 1/2, closing at 24 1/2, higher than yesterday. Cash corn was firm, with no particular change in prices quoted.

Oats—Oats derived benefit from the improvement elsewhere prevailing. Moderately good trading, at intervals took place. May oats closed 1/2 higher than yesterday. Cash oats were firm. Trading was at steady prices, with a shade better nominally quotable at the close.

Provisions—Heavier arrivals of hogs than estimated lower prices for them and the prospect of an overwhelming run on Monday deprived product of every pretense of firmness at the opening. Trading was moderate and there was no feature of interest. The improvement in wheat extended aid to product later and prices then rallied. At the close of May pork was a shade higher than yesterday. May lard and ribs unchanged.

Leading futures ranged as follows:

	Open'g.	Clos'g.
WHEAT—No. 2.		
January	77 1/2	78 1/2
May	80 1/2	80 1/2
July	76 1/2	76 1/2
CORN		
January	20 1/2	20 1/2
May	24 1/2	24 1/2
July	25 1/2	25 1/2
OATS		
January	16 1/2	16 1/2
May	18 1/2	18 1/2
July	19 1/2	19 1/2
MESS PORK		
January	7 1/2	7 1/2
May	8 00	8 00
LARD		
January	3 90	3 95
May	4 07 1/2	4 10
SHORT RIBS		
January	4 05	4 07 1/2
May	4 07 1/2	4 12 1/2

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour quiet and steady; hard wheat bakers in sacks \$3.00-3.25; winter wheat \$4.30-4.50 in wood. No. 2 spring wheat 77 1/2-78 1/2; No. 2 red 88 1/2-89; No. 2 corn 22 1/2-23 1/2; No. 2 oats 16 1/2-17 1/2. Mess pork 7 1/2-7 3/4; lard 3 90-3 95; short ribs 4 05-4 07 1/2; dry-salt shoulders 4 25-4 50. Short clear sides 4 12 1/2-4 25. Whiskey \$1.18.

NEW YORK COTTON MARKET.

New York, Jan. 16.—Cotton futures closed quiet; sales 52,300 bales; January and February 6 1/2; March 7 00; April 7 07; May 7 14; June 7 18; July 7 22; August 7 23; September 6 99; October 6 90; November 6 90. Cotton quiet; middling 7 1/2; net and gross receipts, 1,006 bales; exports to Great Britain, — bales; to France, — bales; to the Continent, — bales; forwarded, 6 bales; sales, 384 bales; spinners 84 bales stock 291,874 bales. Total today—net receipts, 25,160 bales; exports, — bales; to the Continent, 9,677 bales; to the Channel, — bales; stocks, 1,104,545 bales. Oats, exports, — bales; to the Continent, — bales; to the Channel, — bales; stock, — bales. Total since September 1—net receipts, 5,255,598 bales; exports to Great Britain, 2,142,803 bales; to France, 463,052 bales; to the Continent, 21,234,196 bales; to the Channel, 5,481 bales; stock, — bales.

TOTAL VISIBLE SUPPLY.

New York, Jan. 16.—The total visible supply of cotton for the world is 4,165,087 bales, of which 3,819,787 bales are American, against 4,065,002 bales and 3,627,802 bales respectively last year. Receipts of cotton this week at all interior towns 82,342 bales. Receipts from the plantations 171,179 bales. Crop in sight 6,661,393 bales.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, Jan. 16.—12:30 p. m.—Cotton—demand moderate, prices easier; American middling 3 1/2; sales 8,000 bales; all American; speculation and export 500 bales; receipts 27,000 bales; American 26,500 bales. Futures opened quiet, de-

mand moderate. American middling, 1 m. c.—January 3 50-3 58; January and February, February and March, March and April, April and May 3 58; May and June 3 58; June and July, July and August 3 58; August and September 3 58; 3 58. Futures quiet.

OTHER COTTON MARKETS.

January 16. Galveston steady, 7, 1 1/2 bales. Norfolk steady, 6 1/2, 1,025 bales. Baltimore nominal, 7 1/2, — bales. Boston quiet, 7 1/2, 999 bales. Wilmington steady, 6 1/2, 1,043 bales. Philadelphia weak, 7 1/2, 109 bales. Savannah steady, 6 1/2, 3,101 bales. New Orleans quiet, 6 1/2, 13,457 bales. Mobile nominal, 6 1/2, 2,621 bales. Memphis steady, 6 1/2, 280 bales. Augusta steady, 7 1/2, 293 bales. Charleston firm, 6 1/2, — bales. Cincinnati quiet, 7, 1,492 bales. Louisville firm, 7, — bales. St. Louis quiet, 6 1/2, 15,294 bales. Houston steady, 6 1/2, 4,232 bales.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

New York, Jan. 16.—Flour dull, steady; winter wheat, low grades \$2.30-2.45; do. fair to fancy \$3.54-4.00; do. patents \$4.95-5.25; Minnesota clear patents \$4.50-5.15; patents \$4.50-5.25; low extras \$2.30-2.45. Southern flour dull, weak; common to fair extra \$3.30-3.55; good to choice do. \$3.75-4.05.

Wheat—spot market dull, firmer with options; No. 2 red, f. o. b. 98; ungraded red 7 1/2-7 3/4; No. 1 Northern —. Options were dull and steady at 1/2 advance; No. 2 red, January 89 1/2; March 90 1/2; May 87 1/2; July 84 1/2.

Corn dull, steady; No. 2 29 in elevator; 30 aboat; steamer mixed 28; steamer yellow —; No. 2 white —. Options were dull and steady at unchanged prices, without special feature; January 29 1/2; May 30 1/2.

Oats—spots quiet, steady; options dull, firm; January 22 1/2; February 22 1/2; May 22 1/2. Spot prices—No. 2, 22 1/2; No. 2 white 24 1/2; mixed western 20 1/2-21 1/2.

Hay steady; shipping 57 1/2; good to choice 75-85; Pacific coast 75-85. Hides quiet, wet salted. Havana selected, 35-50 pounds, at 8; Texas dry, 21-25 pounds, 12-13 1/2.

Wool quiet; domestic fleece 16-23; pulled 18-21.

Beef steady; family \$9.25-10.50; extra mess \$7.00-8.00.

Beef hams firm at \$18.00; tierced beef firm; city extra India mess \$13.50-14.50.

Cut meats strong, quiet; pickled bellies 4 1/2; shoulders 4 1/2-4 3/4; hams 8 1/2-9.

Lard quiet, steady; western steam 4 1/2-4 3/4; city 4 1/2-4 3/4; refined steady; continent 4 1/2-4 3/4; South American 4 1/2-4 3/4; compound 4 1/2-4 3/4.

Pork—moderate demand, steady; new mess \$8.00-9.00.

Butter—fancy firm; State dairy 10 1/2-11 1/2; do. creamery 13 1/2-14 1/2; western creamery 13 1/2-14 1/2; Elgin 20.

Eggs weak; State and Pennsylvania 16; ice house 13 1/2-14 1/2; western fresh 15; do. case \$17.50-18.00; Southern 14 1/2-15 1/2.

Cottonseed oil steady; crude 20 1/2-21 1/2; yellow prime 23 1/2.

Rosin steady; strained, common to good \$1.70-1.75.

Turpentine quiet at 27 1/2-28 1/2.

Rice firm, fair demand; domestic fair to extra 3 1/2-4; Japan 4 1/2-4 3/4.

Molasses steady; New Orleans open kettle, good to choice new 25-34.

Peanuts quiet; fancy hand-picked 3 1/2-4. Coffee steady, unchanged to 5 points up; May \$9 1/2; December \$9.70; spot Rio dull, nominal; No. 7, 10.

Sugar—raw dull, steady; fair refining 12 1/2-13; refined quiet; No. 1 to No. 8 1/2 lower; No. 9 to No. 13 1/2 lower; No. 16 1/2 down; No. 6, 13 1/2; No. 7, 13 1/2; No. 8, 13 1/2; No. 9, 13 1/2; No. 10, 13 1/2; No. 11, 13 1/2; No. 12, 13 1/2; No. 13, 13 1/2; off A 1/2; standard 4 1/2; cut loaf 5; crushed 5; granulated 4 1/2; centrifugal, 96-test 31-16.

Freights to Liverpool—market quiet; cotton by steam 15-18 1/2; grain by sea 34.

BALTIMORE PRODUCE MARKET.

Baltimore, Md., Jan. 16.—Flour quiet; western super \$2.75-3.20; do. extra \$3.40-4.05; do. family \$4.40-4.75; winter wheat patent \$4.90-5.15; spring do. \$4.60-4.85; do. do straight \$4.40-4.60.

Wheat firm, spot 91 1/2 bid; May 8 1/2-9 1/2; Southern by sample 92-93; do on grade 87 1/2-88 1/2.

Corn easy; spot and January 26 1/2-27 1/2; February 27 1/2-28 1/2; March 27 1/2-28 1/2; April 28 1/2-29 1/2; steamer mixed 24 1/2-27 1/2; Southern white 22 1/2-27 1/2; do yellow 22 1/2-27 1/2.

STOCKS AND BONDS.

Virginia 3's nominal, 7 1/2 asked; do century 6 1/2-6 3/4; B & O 9 1/2-9 3/4; Northern Central 6 1/2; B & O S W 1st 10 1/2 asked; gas stock 62; do bonds, 5's 10 1/2.

ST. LOUIS MARKET.

St. Louis, Mo., Jan. 16.—Flour dull; patents 4 60-4 70; fancy 4 60-4 70; choice 3 10-3 25.

Wheat lower; January 86 1/2, nominal; May 86 1/2 bid; July 75 bid.

Corn steady; January 20; May 22 1/2; July 23 1/2 bid.

Oats firm; January 17 1/2; May 22 1/2 asked.

Pork—standard mess 7 1/2.

Lard—prime steam 3 90; choice 4 00.

Bacon—extra short clear 4 75; clear rib sides 4 45; clear sides 4 25.

Dry salt meats—extra short clear 4 25; clear ribs 4 50; clear sides 4 45.

High wines steady at 1 1/2.

Bagging—12 lbs 5 1/2; 2 lbs 3 1/2; 24 lbs 6 1/2.

Iron ties 90c.

CINCINNATI MARKET.

Cincinnati, Ohio, Jan. 16.—Flour—winter patent \$4.75-4.85; do fancy \$4.25-4.30.

Wheat dull; No. 2 red 92.

Corn quiet; No. 2 white — 23 1/2; No. 2 mixed 23 1/2.

Oats quiet; No. 2 mixed 19 1/2.

Pork—clear rib sides at \$8.75.

Lard—best; prime steam \$3.90.

Dry salt meat—holders 4; short rib 4 1/2; short clear 4 1/2; clear bellies 4 1/2.

Bacon—loose shoulders 4 1/2; loose short ribs 4 1/2; short clear sides 4 1/2; loose clear bellies 5 1/2.

Whiskey active.

CATTLE MARKET.

Union Stock Yards, Ill., Jan. 16.—Cattle—receipts, 300; market easy; common to extra steady, \$3.50-3.75; stockers and feeders \$3.10-3.15; cows and bulls \$1.75-3.75; calves \$3.50-6.00; Texas \$3.60-4.25.

Hogs—receipts 27,000; market weak at 5 1/2c lower; heavy packing and shipping lots \$3.15-3.20; common to choice mixed \$3.30-3.47; choice assorted \$3.45-3.50; light \$3.30-3.50; pigs \$3.10-3.15. Sheep—receipts 2,500; market steady; inferior to choice \$2.50-3.00; lambs \$3.50-4.50.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, Jan. 16.—The week has closed very quietly today in all departments of the dry goods market. General business continues disappointing, but still, taking the week throughout, there has been some improvement, over several weeks immediately preceding in the market here at first hands, and a most decided expansion of buying of print-cloth goods at Fall River. The local jobbing trade reports fair business for the week and reports from other jobbing centres are mostly satisfactory.

NAVAL STORES.

Wilmington, N. C., Jan. 16.—Closing—Rosin firm; strained \$1.40; good strained \$1.45. Spirits of turpentine firm; machine 25 1/2; irregular 26. Tar firm at 95. Crude turpentine steady; hard \$1.30; soft \$1.20; Virgin \$1.80. Savannah, Ga., Jan. 16.—Turpentine firm at 25; sales 165; receipts 25. Rosin firm; sales —; receipts 3,307; A. B. C. D. \$1.55, E 1.60, F 1.60, G 1.70, H 1.75, I 1.85, K 1.90, M 1.90, N 1.90 W 2.00. Charleston, S. C., Jan. 16.—Turpentine firm; sales —. Rosin firm; sales —.

THE LEGISLATURE.

A List of Members, Giving Counties and Denominations.

A paper of this city having published an incorrect list of the members of the Legislature by counties, giving the denomination of each, we have been handed the following corrected list, which we publish for the benefit of the Solons and any others who may be interested in the matter.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Alamance, S. A. White, Presbyterian. Alexander, J. W. Watts, Baptist, Missionary. Albemarle, H. F. Jones, none. Anson, James F. Leak, Episcopal. Ashe, Spencer Blackburn, Methodist Episcopal, South. Beaufort, H. E. Hodges, Disciples. Bertie, K. W. White, Baptist, Missionary. Bladen, Sidney Meares, Presbyterian. Brunswick, W. W. Drew, Baptist, Missionary. Buncombe, V. S. Lark, Episcopal. Buncombe, W. G. Chandler, Episcopal.

Burke, J. H. Pearson, Episcopal. Cabarrus, A. F. Hilem, R. formed. Caldwell, J. L. Nelson, Methodist Episcopal, South.

Camden, J. E. Birges, Methodist Episcopal, South. Carteret, E. C. Duncan, none. Caswell, C. J. Yarborough, Baptist, Missionary.

Catawba, L. R. Watten, R. formed. Catham, J. E. B. van, Presbyterian. Chatham, L. R. B. van, Methodist Episcopal Church, South.

Cherokee, D. W. Deane, Baptist, Missionary. Chowan, Richard Elliott, —. Clay, Wm. Platt, Baptist, Missionary. Cleveland, B. F. Dizon, Methodist Episcopal, South.

Columbus, J. B. Schulken, Methodist Episcopal, South. Craven, Robt. Hancock, none. Cumberland, F. H. Sutton, Methodist Episcopal, South.

THE DAILY TRIBUNE.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 17, 1897.

THE WEATHER.

Forecast for Raleigh and vicinity.
Cloudy Sunday, but probably no rain.
Sunday afternoon much warmer.

Forecast for North Carolina.

Generally cloudy weather Sunday. Local showers in western portion. Warmer in the interior.

Weather Conditions.

The storm is still central in the extreme northwest, and the lowest barometer is reported at North Platte, Nebraska; the pressure increases eastward to the middle and north Atlantic coast. The weather continues cloudy and threatening nearly everywhere, with rain or light snow at many stations. The temperature is rising in the central valley, with southerly winds. The line of freezing temperature in the northwest has been pushed north of Omaha and west of Marquette.

C. F. VON HEHRMANN,
Station Director.

PERSONALS.

Mrs. T. T. Hay is ill.
Mr. E. L. Hay has returned.
Capt. W. H. Day has returned.
Mr. Robert Williams is in the city.
Judge Spencer Adams is at the Park.
Col. A. B. Andrews has returned home.

Prof. N. Y. Guiley was in Raleigh Saturday.
Representative Harris of Hyde is out of town.

Dr. V. E. Turner returned to the city yesterday.

Mr. James Check left for Hillsboro yesterday.

Mr. T. L. Greene of Waynesville is in the city.

Maj. Grant has gone to Goldsboro to spend Sunday.

Mr. R. E. Shore, the popular clerk at the Park, is sick.

One new scholar arrived at Saint Mary's yesterday.

Capt. Young of Johnson county was in the city Saturday.

Mr. A. J. Green of Washington, D. C., is at the Park.

Representative Hancock has gone to Newbern for Sunday.

Miss Mary Seaton Hay has returned from a visit to Hickory.

Senator Lee Person spends Sunday with his people at Tarboro.

Mr. Baxton W. Hunter has gone to Warrenton to spend Sunday.

Mr. William Bailey and family of Louisville came in Saturday.

Mr. Ed Chambers Smith and family returned to Raleigh yesterday.

Prof. Williams of the Siler City Institute spent yesterday in Raleigh.

Capt. Guess spent part of Saturday in town. His health has improved.

Mr. W. H. Pearson, representing the Prince of India Cigar, is in Raleigh.

Superintendent of Public Instruction Mcbane has gone home for a few days.

Messrs. Draper and John Pritchard of Wake Forest were in Raleigh Saturday.

Mr. W. H. Williams of the Pilot Cotton Mills has gone to New York on business for the company.

Col. Cunningham, Representative from Person, is spending Sunday with friends in Warrenton.

W. P. Ormsby, Republican Representative from Forsyth, is spending Sunday with his family in Salem.

Belgian blocks and curb stones are being distributed on Salisbury street, east of Capitol square, preparatory for the paving of that part of the street.

Messrs. J. R. Collie and C. K. Cooke of Louisville were here standing the civil service examination.

Messrs. D. B. Kimball, R. E. Bruce, T. E. Taylor, all of Richmond, were in town Saturday.

Dr. Swindell, State missionary for the North Carolina Methodist Episcopal church, South, arrived yesterday.

Mr. O. V. F. Blythe, a prominent attorney and insurance man of Hendersonville, is in the city for a few days.

Mrs. Samuel Buckner of Baltimore who has been visiting Mrs. M. J. Ramsey on Park Avenue, returned home yesterday.

Messrs. Thomas H. Rylands, P. F. Burgoine, George L. Briggs, George McElvay, and G. B. Ncols, all of New York, are at the Park.

Among their arrivals at the Park are Messrs. W. H. Lea, Richmond; L. Metzger, Atlanta; John A. Tate, Chapel Hill; John Shaw, Carthage; J. D. McCall, Charlotte; and C. O. Bonnett, Goldsboro.

Policeman C. Creighton was on duty again yesterday afternoon for the first time in more than a week. He has been wrestling with a gripe bacteria and he says they did not catch him in the General Assembly halls either.

Mr. Ed. R. Hartman, General Agent Knight Templar and Masons Life and Indemnity Company, of Chicago, gave the Tribune office a very pleasant call yesterday morning. Mr. Hartman is a resident of Hendersonville and is here in the interest of certain legislation to come before the General Assembly.

Ten cents a day carries five shares in the Raleigh Branch of the Southern Building and Loan Association, worth \$500 at maturity, and the beauty of it is you do not miss the small amount you pay monthly. Write to C. C. McDonald for literature explaining the matter in a nut shell.

It seems to be reasonably clear that a man with an enlarged heart should keep out of the prize ring. This caution might also be profitably extended so as to include men with enlarged heads.

A box of fine candies set to the folks at home will remind them that you remember them. Buy it at

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105 Fayetteville street.

EPWORTH LEAGUE ENTERTAINMENT.

The Marvin Chapter at Edenton Street—Interesting Program—Arranging for a Reception.

Members of the Marvin Chapter of Edenton Street Epworth League were most delightfully entertained Friday night in the Sunday School room of that church.

Quite noteworthy features of the evening's entertainment were a well rendered recitation by Miss McGee and a solo by Mrs. Dr. B. B. Bitt.

Another especially interesting feature of the program was the rendering of selections by Mr. Frank Hage's graphophone. They comprised wonderfully natural reproductions of vocal, minstrel and orchestral music by many of the foremost singers and musical organizations of the world.

Mr. C. E. Hood made an appropriate address, and the meeting was admirably presided over by President Bowen.

The Edenton Street League is making extensive preparations for a big reception, to be tendered the League and their friends, on the 29th inst. An elaborate program is in process of preparation.

Flagg's Female Minstrels.

Flagg's Female Minstrels have been booked for Metropolitan Hall next Wednesday night. An Atlanta exchange says of them:

"Saturday night closed a week's engagement of Flagg's Female Minstrels and too much cannot be said in praise of the efforts of the management in affording the variety-loving public an opportunity to witness such a show as held the boards at the Imperial for the past week.

"Special mention should be made of Miss Madge Mason, the pretty and vivacious little vocalist. In her songs she literally 'caught the house,' as after starting her song, she really had nothing to do but carry her lines and beat time, while the audience, to a man, joined in the air.

"Mr. Ben F. x, as character and descriptive vocalist, is good. Queen and Rapier also come in for their share of applause in their respective roles.

"Miss Minnie Summers is probably one of the best female clog dancers on the stage, while Miss Dorothy Clayton, in her topical songs, is well up to the times."

Col. Cunningham's Suggestion.

Col. John S. Cunningham, of Person county, one of the leading lights of the Democratic side of the House, remarked to a TRIBUNE reporter that he had frequently heard the old adage "no one knows what a day may bring forth," but it seemed to him that it would be more applicable to the political situation in Raleigh just at this time to change the saying to "no one knows what a night will bring forth." The change would indeed "make a good fit."

"No Place Like Home," No Place Like Raleigh.

Raleigh is a good place to move to, but not a good place to move from. Why? Because those who move away want to come back and those who move here want to stay. Why? Because everybody feels at home in our city, everybody is welcome and made to feel so. We don't inquire as to your politics or as to what church you belong to, as this is a matter entirely with you. So come on. If we haven't got a house to suit you we have plenty of ground, and if you have the cash you can easily be suited in one of our own den. We have the material and the workmen who can soon build for you. Parties wanting a home will find it to their interest to call on or write to me.

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Public Sale.

Standard bred trotting horses, at Nixon's stables, at 10 o'clock Saturday morning. The stock is the Electioneer, George Wilkes, Strothware and Robert McGregor.
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Paris, Ky.

WHERE SHALL WE WORSHIP?

Don't Fail to Attend at Least One of These Churches Today.

The regular services will be held in the churches of the several denominations in this city today. The morning exercises begin at 11 and in the evening at 7:30. Most of the Sunday schools open at 9:30. All strangers are cordially invited to all these exercises.

Central Methodist Episcopal church, corner of Morgan and Person streets. In the morning Dr. F. D. Swindell will occupy the pulpit. Dr. Swindell is missionary secretary of the North Carolina Conference and one of the best preachers in his church. Rev. E. M. Glenn will preach in the evening.

Church of the Good Shepherd, Episcopal, on Hillsboro street. Rev. I. McK. Pittinger, the rector, will occupy the pulpit.

First Baptist church, corner of Salisbury and Edenton streets. Preaching by the pastor, Dr. J. W. Carter, Sunday school at 9:30, S. W. Brewer, superintendent.

Raleigh Baptist Tabernacle, corner of Person and Hargett streets. In the morning Dr. A. M. Simms, the pastor, will speak on "Rich fool of the Bible and other fools." In the evening his subject will be "The re-statement of some old truths." Sunday school at 9:30, N. B. Broughton, superintendent.

Presbyterian church, corner of Salisbury and Morgan streets. Preaching by Dr. Eugene Daniel, the pastor. Sunday school at 9:30, H. W. Jackson, superintendent.

Services are held at the regular time in the West Raleigh Baptist church, near the A. and M. college, by Rev. G. L. Betts, pastor.

Church of the Sacred Heart, Catholic, Hillsboro street. Services at 11 a. m. by Father Price.

Fayetteville Street Baptist church. Services conducted by Mr. John T. Pullen.

Rev. J. A. Ashburn, Senator from Surry county, will preach today at the Primitive Baptist Meeting House, corner of Morgan and Dawson streets.

Dr. W. C. Norman, the pastor, will preach in the morning at the Edenton Street Methodist Episcopal church, and in the evening Dr. Swindell will occupy the pulpit. Sunday school at 9:30, W. J. Young, superintendent.

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WAKE FOREST COLLEGE.

Sixty-second Anniversary of the Two Literary Societies—A Raleigh Boy to take Part—Large Crowd Expected.

The Euzelian and Philomathesian Literary Societies of Wake Forest College have issued invitations to their Sixty-second Anniversary, to be held in Memorial Hall on Friday, February 12, 1897. This is an occasion which the students look forward to with much pleasure. An unusually large crowd will attend this year, as the Baptist Young People's Union will be in session at that time in Raleigh, and a special train will be run to Wake Forest College for their accommodation.

In the afternoon the debate will be held. The following is the query selected: "Is civilization able to cope with the evils attending its progress?"

William David Burns, of Moore county, and Joel Spurgeon Snider, of Union county, have the optimistic side of the question, while Henry Hamilton Mashburn, of Macon county, and Walter Nathan Johnson have the negative. The election of these gentlemen as the debaters guarantees an able discussion.

In the evening the two orators, Robert Nirwana Simms of Raleigh and Albert Brown Cannady of Oxford, will speak to us on some phase of the labor problem and upon Cuba respectively. Mr. Simms represents the Eu. Society. He is the son of Dr. A. M. Simms of this city and a young man of rare ability as a student. Mr. Cannady of the Phi. Society made an excellent speech in the debate last year, and his oration is waited with interest. The marshals are: J. K. Cooke, H. C. Draper and P. P. Davis of the Eu. Society, and H. B. Folk, W. L. Cohen and W. P. Etchison of the Phi. Society.

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6c. Outing Cloth	4c.	25c. Red Table Damask
10c. Child's Ribbed Vests	5c.	25c. Hermsdorf Hose
7c. Persian Cashmeres	6c.	35c. Linen Table Damask
8c. Southern Silks	6c.	35c. Bicycle Hose
10c. Spool Silk	7c.	40c. Wool Golf Hose
10c. Cheviots	8c.	50c. Unlaundried Shirts
12c. Nottingham Lace	8c.	75c. Unlaundried Shirts
12c. Bleached Canton Flannel	8c.	1.00 Laundried Shirts
12c. Bed Ticking	10c.	1.00 Wool Ribbed Vests
12c. Linen Crashes	10c.	75c. Ladies' Jersey Vests
15c. Swiss Crashes	10c.	2.00 Wool Blankets
15c. Ribbed Hose	10c.	4.00 California Blankets
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